

MYSTERY SHROUDS DEATH OF WELL-DRESSED WOMAN

GIVE US MORE BABIES, SAYS ROOSEVELT IN PARIS

Former President Addresses Distinguished Gathering of Frenchmen.

HE THINKS CHILDREN ESSENTIAL FOR FUTURE

Spends Day in Old Latin Quarter and Attends Academy Session.

FIND DYNAMITE DISCARDED BY BANDITS ON STEAMER

Sheriff Veale Thinks Four Men Were Implicated in Train Robbery.

DISCREPANCIES CREEP INTO OFFICER'S THEORY

They Could Not Reach the Vessel After Holding Up the Express.

COMET VISIBLE TO UNAIDED EYE EVERY MORNING

Prof. Burkhalter Has Seen It for the Last Three Days.

TELLS PEOPLE TO WAIT UNTIL FIRST OF MONTH

Says It Looks Like Big Fuzzy Star-Growing Much Brighter.

HEN HAS FEATURES OF MAN; MUST EAT FROM HUMAN HAND

CHICAGO, April 23.—Guests and employees of a downtown hotel last night were interested in a white hen that has features of a human being—a clearly defined nose and lips in place of the beak and mouth of a chicken, and feet like knobs instead of claws.

"The chicken is nine months old," said Michael Singer, one of the hotel porters, who owns the fowl, "and is compelled to eat from the hand of a person, being unable to pick food like other chickens. It cannot scratch and does not cluck, nor make other noises like a chicken. It has laid two eggs, both of which were flat on one side and of extraordinary size."

HYDE PLEASED WITH TURN EVIDENCE TAKES

Testimony of Nurse Weakened by Attorneys on Cross Examination.

DID NOT SEE GIRL EAT ANY OF CANDY

Admits She Made Chart From Memory and Did Not Keep Records.

GOETHAM BOWS IN TRIBUTE TO MARK TWAIN

Simple Services Held in Church Crowded by Friends and Admirers.

BODY IS EN ROUTE TO ELMIRA FOR BURIAL

Two Life-long Friends Pronounce Words of Eulogy Over Dead Author.

BODY IS FOUND FLOATING IN BAY; POLICE PUZZLED

No Marks on Clothing to Show Who She Was or Where From.

HAD-BEEN IN WATER ONLY COUPLE OF HOURS

Human Bones Found Buried in Vacant Lot By Excavators.

PARIS, April 23.—Theodore Roosevelt, former President of the United States, delivered his eagerly awaited lecture on "Citizenship in a Republic" in the Sorbonne today. His audience was composed of all of the members of the French Cabinet, students selected from the University of Paris, and many distinguished guests, by whom the occasion was regarded as the most important feature of the distinguished American's visit to France.

That the former President is as ardent an advocate of anti-race suicide today as he was several years ago was evidenced in his speech this afternoon, when he laid considerable stress upon the duty of every man and woman to do his and her share to continue the increase of the races. He told his hearers it is the duty of every man and woman to become fathers and mothers of healthy children. He rated it as one of the most essential things in the world.

SCORES FEARFUL ONES.

The Colonel roundly scolded those who chose willful sterility because of a fear to assume the responsibility, pain and risk in bringing children into the world. He characterized such persons as detrimental to any nation. His remarks on this subject made a profound impression on his hearers.

Mr. Roosevelt spent the day in the old Latin quarter, across the Seine, where he continued his tour of the most interesting places of the city. At five o'clock this afternoon in the Academy hall of the Sorbonne, he attended the regular session of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences in the conference hall of the old Lazarin Palace, which is now the home of the institute.

MEETING OF THREE ACADEMIES.

This room was seated instead of the smaller room in which the "Forty Immortals" met in order to permit the public to enter, and because it is the usual meeting place of three of the academies—the Academy of Fine Arts, the Academy of Inscriptions and Literature, and the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences.

Although Mr. Roosevelt is entitled to wear the green brocade uniform of an academicien, he appeared today in his familiar frock coat dress. At 3:00 o'clock he delivered his lecture in the grand amphitheater of the Sorbonne, where he was most cordially received. His remarks were followed with intense interest.

INTRODUCTION INFORMAL.

According to the traditional custom of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences, Theodore Roosevelt entered without formal presentation. Emile Boutroux, who presided after the customary routine business had been concluded, addressed the academy.

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Dynamite caps and cut pieces of fuse, believed to have been discarded by the bandits who held up the China-Japan mail last Saturday night, have been found stowed away on board the Sacramento steamer Weber.

Working on this information, Sheriff R. H. Veale of Contra Costa county visited the State Bureau of Identification here yesterday and following a conference with officials there declared himself confident that four or more men were implicated in the robbery of the Southern Pacific train. He believes that the two men who camped at a ranch near Martinez and stole a horse and buggy near there were part of the quartette of bandits, and he thinks it possible that the suspects now held at Oakland are the other two.

COULD NOT REACH BOAT.

Just how the bandits, if the sheriff's theory is correct, came to be aboard the steamer Weber cannot clearly be explained. The steamer stopped at Colma, where the robbery was committed, but many miles from the spot where the robbery was committed last Saturday, but it would not have been possible for the bandits to have made their way from Colma, where the robbery was committed, to Colma, in time to catch the boat.

Halley's comet, with the appearance of a big fuzzy star, was seen with the naked eye for the last three mornings by Professor Charles Burkhalter of Chabot observatory of this city. He first sighted the celestial visitor with the telescope April 14 and has seen it every morning since with the instrument except two, when the hazy condition of the atmosphere prevented. The tail, which can at present be seen for one degree in length, was first observed on the morning of April 17th.

Professor Burkhalter advises citizens not to strain their eyes in an attempt to locate the comet at the present time, but to wait until about 1:15 on the morning of May 4th. The light of the full moon at present makes its presence scarcely discernible with the naked eye.

From the present to May 4th the light of the moon will grow less while the brilliancy of the comet will increase. By the date named the great visitor may be seen without difficulty. By May 7th the moon situation will be peculiarly favorable for sky-gazing in the early hours of the morning.

THEN THE MOON VANISHES.

By that time the moon will rise after such strong daylight that it will no longer interfere with the view of the comet. By May 8th the moon will rise after the sun and no longer be considered.

There will be a new moon at that time and it will set before the comet rises until the comet changes from a morning to an evening object, which will be on the evening of May 15th.

After the moon has reached the full it will be in the way only two or three evenings after the comet changes to the evening sky.

Although the comet rises tall up, sometimes it is not visible until after the comet itself rises, due largely to the presence of haze in the atmosphere. Professor Burkhalter says that before May 10th the tail of the comet will no doubt be visible first.

In view of the fact that Oakland people, as well as those of all sections, are deeply interested in the movement of the comet, Professor Burkhalter is pleased to make public all of the facts in his possession bearing on the subject.

BEAUTIFULLY SYMMETRICAL.

At present Halley's comet is beautifully symmetrical and as it speeds on its way it will constantly become more attractive to those who are so closely observing its movements.

Many students enrolled in the department of astronomy at the University of California at present making a study of the comet. A class headed by E. W. Noyes, an instructor in the department, took up the study this morning. They experienced little difficulty in locating the object with the naked eye. It appears in the sky to the left of Venus, the twenty-five diameters of the sun. Professor See of the Mare Island observatory was a visitor at the Chabot observatory today. He said the comet was plainly visible at Mare Island at 4 o'clock this morning. Dodd of the navy observed it through the telescope and that he got an excellent drawing of it.

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Under the guidance of General Thomas H. Barry, commander of the Department of California, Prince Tsai Tao, was minister of China and uncle of the Emperor of that country, inspected the local military posts today.

At the Presidio, the head of the Chinese army was received with full military honors. After the formal salutes the Prince and his party, under escort of a troop of cavalry, proceeded in automobiles through the Presidio to Fort Scott and returning, visited the quarters of the commanding officer at Fort Mason. Dismissing the military escort, the party entered the automobiles and visited Golden Gate Park.

Shortly afterwards Prince Tsai Tao and his retinue boarded a special train at Oakland. Routed through to Chicago, the special train will stop only at Port Costa, Sacramento, Reno and Ogden.

The prince was shown the big guns which guard the Golden Gate by Col. John H. Lundeen, commandant of the Presidio. He evinced the liveliest interest in the artillery drill which he witnessed.

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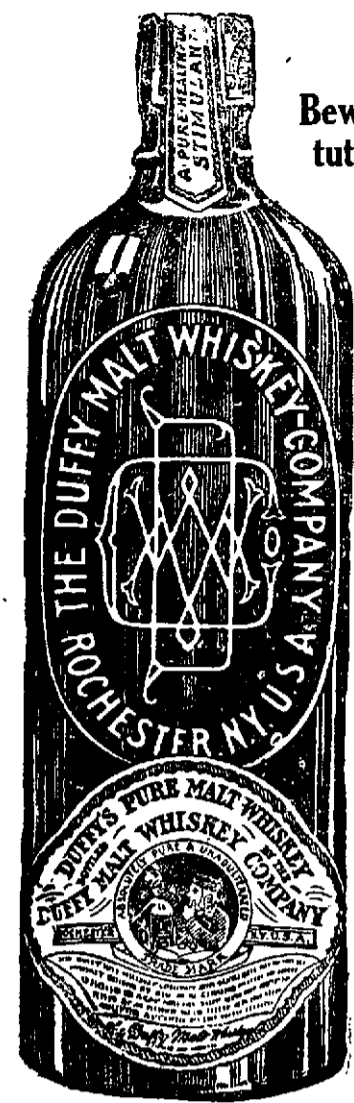
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Beware of Imitations, Substitutes and "just as good as."



Unscrupulous dealers, mindful only of their profit and caring nothing for the health of their patrons, are offering for sale low grade mixtures, which they tell you are "as good as Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey."

Some go so far as to try to make you believe it is Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. These cheap concoctions are foisted on the people with the intent to deceive.

When a remedy has been before the public for more than half a century, has been prescribed and used by the best doctors and in prominent hospitals, and has carried the blessing of health into so many thousands of homes as Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has, imitations are bound to arise. They may imitate the bottle and label only—no one can imitate the contents.

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CLARK AND HILL TO ENTER STATE

Railroad Men Plan Railway Invasion of California and the Northwest.

CHICAGO, April 23.—William A. Clark, former United States Senator from Montana, and James J. Hill are said to have joined hands with a view to a combined railroad invasion of Washington, Idaho, Montana and California, according to an article in the Record-Herald today.

It is stated that a considerable portion of the Clark millions will be invested during the next few years in railroad ventures in the northwest, which will be planned with a view to occupation of all territory that promises to become tonnage producing.

Just now Senator Clark is said to be interested with Mr. Hill in the construction of the Gilmore and Pittsburg railroad and in the North Coast line, which Robert Strathorn of Spokane is promoting. It has but recently become known that Mr. Clark is also interested in the Gilmore road, the route of which will be along the Salmon River canyon, through Lewiston, Idaho.

It is now rumored that the Gilmore and Pittsburg road may connect with the North Coast line through a traffic deal entered into with the Hill interests. It is understood Clark has become interested in the North Coast road to the extent of furnishing \$15,000,000, which is to be used in securing terminals in the larger northwestern cities.

Husband Disappears; Wife Near Insanity

Police Take Up Search for Pottery Worker Who Drops Out of Sight.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The police today were asked to aid in the search for John Mackay, a pottery worker, whose wife is on the verge of a nervous breakdown and perhaps insanity, at Sacramento, as the result of his disappearance.

A week ago today, on receiving his salary, amounting to \$71, and drawing it from the Oak Park bank, he dropped completely out of sight. No one has seen or heard of him and his wife and four children are at their home, 3115 Sixth avenue, anxiously awaiting his return.

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GOVERNMENT AFTER SUGAR HERE

Investigation Into Methods of Trust Extended to San Francisco.

HEARING THE RESULT OF AGENT'S REPORT

Captain William Matson Called to Testify Before the Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The Federal Government's investigation into the business methods of the sugar trust, which unearthed frauds aggregating over \$2,000,000 in short weighing raw sugar imports in the port of New York, has been extended to this city, and was started by the United States grand jury here yesterday. It will cover the operations of the Western Sugar Refining Company of San Francisco which, under an agreement with the American Sugar Refining Company of New York, known as the Sugar Trust, has as its exclusive selling territory that part of the country lying west of the Missouri river.

The investigation started here is the result of a recent report made to the Treasury Department by Special Agent George E. Channing, who visited this city last fall to look up the opium smuggling traffic, and who incidentally probed the customs methods of weighing sugar imports. Some discrepancies in weights were said to have been discovered in the records at that time, but the Western Sugar Refining promptly covered them by paying the government's demands as soon as presented. Assistant Attorney General Knapp is here to aid the grand jury in the investigation.

Among those who were summoned to appear before the grand jury yesterday were Captain William Matson, Robert P. Ritchie, president of Welch & Company, and Adolph Spreckels, but Captain Matson was the only witness examined, the other two being excused for a few days. John D. Spreckels and a dozen others are represented to be called also for examination by the grand jury.

BODY OF WOMAN TAKEN FROM BAY

Mystery Surrounds Death of Well Dressed Person Early This Morning.

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A resident of that place. A second small plain ring bearing no monogram or initial of any kind was also found.

FIND HUMAN BONES.

What was apparently bones of a human body were uncovered in a vacant lot on Eddy street, a few feet west of Taylor, at 9:00 o'clock this morning by Fred G. Nutting of 1235 Jackson street, employed by the San Francisco Debris company, excavating for a hotel building to be erected there.

With the bones were found a sole, apparently of a man's shoe, and a portion of what seems to be an Indian moccasim. One large thigh bone would appear to be unmistakably that of a male human. A hip bone and several smaller bones were included in the find. They were discovered by five feet below the surface, and it is not believed that they could have been there ever since the earthquake and fire without having previously been found by the repeated searching through the ruins.

The coroner's office was notified, and the autopsy surgeon will make a careful examination to determine whether the bones are those of a human being and whether they are those of a man or woman.

TIM SULLIVAN IS OUT FOR JOHNSON

Such Is Gossip of Politicians Today—Lieut. Gov. Porter Is Strong for Anderson.

Not the least of the many rumors political in vogue today is the one that Tim Sullivan was going to support Hiram Johnson for governor. In other words, that while he was for the league of Jimmie Roosevelt, he was not with them in connection with the matter this morning the Chronicle says: "The defection of Sullivan from the machine, the spear of the organization men to the contrary notwithstanding, is a severe blow to Anderson in San Francisco. Sullivan has a strong personal following that is worth while. He has demonstrated that on both sides of the Republican factional fence."

PORTER FOR ANDERSON.

Lieutenant Governor Warren Porter, who was in San Francisco yesterday representing Governor Gillett in connection with the welcome to the Chinese notable, is a strong election booster for Alden Anderson. In talking with friends he very frankly said: "I am doing politics for Anderson every day, the situation is beginning to look better. Anderson is growing on the people and the boys are lining up for him in good shape."

Heavy Snow Storm Seizes Windy City

CHICAGO, April 23.—Chicago has been in the grasp of a heavy snow and violent wind storm for several hours to date and there are no signs of its abating. The snow followed one of the heaviest rainfalls of the year yesterday.

One Doctor

Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles. Doctors have prescribed it for 70 years.

Women in the News Today

SHEEP SAVE 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL FROM BECOMING A HOPELESS IMBECILE

Serum Restores Senses to Katie Faringa. Suffragists Amuse Themselves With Cards—May Yohe to Be in Spotlight

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 23.—If all the sheep in the world were to die suddenly, physicians say, 15-year-old Katie Faringa of this city would become a hopeless imbecile. When Katie was 12 years old neighbors complained to the authorities that she was being kept tied up in a sort of cellar. The child and her parents were brought into the juvenile court. The parents said Katie was "right."

This the doctors discovered to be correct. Katie had the mentality of a two-year-old, they said, and was as small as a child of four. The physicians discovered that the thyroid gland in Katie's neck was not normally developed. This they said was the cause of her mental and physical deformity. They decided to experiment.

The injection of a serum from the thyroid gland of a sheep was tried. Immediately Katie began to grow brighter and several inches were added to her stature. But she is dependent upon the serum.

This is the reason that now, when Katie goes out into the sunshine with the gladness of a normally mental child, she sends up a little prayer of gratitude for the sheep in the meadows.

SUFFRAGISTS SAY PLAY CARDS.

NEW YORK, April 23.—"Play cards" is a new motto of the New York State Woman's Suffrage Association. The cards, which are expected to play an important part in the organization's summer campaign, are played like the old-time game "authorities."

They were devised by one of the association's presidents. As in authors, the cards are arranged in groups entitled "doubling the vote," "woman suffrage and the home," "saloon versus family," "two cardinals," etc.

In the cardinal group one card will ask: "What does Cardinal Gibbons say of equal suffrage?" The answer is: "He says it would be the death blow of domestic life and happiness."

But then another card comes back with the question: "What does Cardinal Moran of Australia say?" and the answer is: "He says that the woman who thinks she would make herself unwomanly by voting is a silly creature."

MAY YOHE IS COMING BACK.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 23.—May Yohe is going back to the stage. This she reluctantly admits. Today, in Oregon City, she will appear before Judge J. U. Campbell to tell why she should have a divorce from Putnam Bradley Strong, against whom she filed a complaint alleging desertion several weeks ago.

The former actress appeared reluctant to talk about it. "Let the dead past bury its dead," she said. "Just give me a chance. I have been living quietly here, haven't I? Then let me rest. Let me go my way quietly and in peace. Let me live in the future and not in the past, for my dead mother's sake and mine."

"Of course, I'm going back on the stage. I am rehearsing now. But I do not know what my plans will be. After tomorrow I hope I will be May Yohe again. I am divorcing Captain Strong; he is not divorcing me."

MOTHER BEHEADS LITTLE CHILD.

NEWBURG, Ore., April 23.—Suffering from an attack of dementia, Mrs. E. B. Rollins, yesterday killed her two-year-old daughter by striking the little one several blows over the head with an axe. The demented woman was restrained from injuring her other child by her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Rollins came here about a year ago from Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Rollins had been engaged in the jewelry business. The woman was taken into custody by the authorities and an examination as to her sanity will be made.

MILLIONAIRE'S DAUGHTER BURNED.

GREENFIELD HILL, Conn., April 23.—Miss Frances Robinson, daughter of John K. Robinson, head of the Diamond Match Company, and Hubert Goodnow, for the family, were seriously burned last night by the explosion of gas in the carline house at the Robinson home here. Both will probably recover.

TILDENS MARRIED FOR SIXTY YEARS

Niles Couple Celebrate Anniversary and Friends Tender Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon J. Tilden of Niles celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage April 18 with a dinner party at their home and were later in the evening tendered a reception in I. O. O. F. hall at Niles.

At the dinner were seated the following members of the Tilden family: Major Charles L. Tilden and wife, their son Charles Lee Tilden, Miss Marian Mitchell of Alameda, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Payson of Berkeley and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane of Niles.

The reception at I. O. O. F. hall was arranged by the children, the hours being from 2 to 5 o'clock. A feature of the afternoon was the wedding march led by the aged couple's grandson, Charles Lee Tilden, and Miss Mitchell. Next came Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Tilden, then the venerable bride and groom.

175 GUESTS.

About one hundred and seventy-five guests were seated at the banquet which was a feature of the reception. The tables were decorated in masses of yellow banked roses and the round table at which were seated the bride and groom was banked with quantities of wisteria. Mr. and Mrs. Harmon J. Tilden were married at Barry, New York, April 18, 1850, when Tilden was 25 years of age and his bride 20. They came to California in the days of the gold rush, after living but a few years at Albany, New York. They settled in Calaveras county, where Tilden engaged in mining. Coming to San Francisco later he was elected to the presidency of the San Francisco Board of Education.

He was the commissioner who heard the Alabama claims in San Francisco, and was chairman of the Republican State committee during the Grant and Wilson presidential campaign. He has been a grand master of the California I. O. O. F.

MANY TOASTS.

At the banquet congratulations and toasts were voiced by the following: "Sixty Years," Rev. F. B. Jones of Niles.

"Our anniversary," by W. H. Payson, whose forthright wedding anniversary occurred the same day.

"Our Absent Ones," W. H. Payson of Berkeley.

Telegrams of congratulation were received from grand-children in Alaska and St. Louis and from brothers of Tilden in New York.

Other toasts given were "Reminiscences," Mrs. J. E. Thane, a daughter, "The Perfect Life," Mrs. Mary Allen of Contra Costa, Major Tilden, the son, who was major in the First California regiment that went to the Philippines.

So far as Colonel Roosevelt is concerned there are two classes of people in Europe: Those who like what he does, and those who are at perfect liberty to jump it.

District Detectives Mingle in Shuffle

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Following the reorganization of the local police department, the several captains department, the several captains assigned to new districts are making a large number of shifts among the district detectives, and are generally changing the beat.

At the Harbor station Captain Kelly has relieved from duty District Detective Tracy and Malone, substituting in their places Fred Lemon and H. Kelly. The latter is a son of the captain and has just been transferred from the Bush-street station.

The entire Chinatown squad, consisting of more than twenty men, has been completely changed. Sergeant Matheson and Corporal Reavis will be placed in charge, vice Sergeant Shaw, who returns to regular duty.

FALLING HAIR

You Run No Risk When You Use This Remedy.

While many people in their prime doubt the assertion that "the hairs of our head are numbered," yet there is today many a man and woman fast reaching the point where this statement is literally brought home to them. If you suffer from irritation of the scalp, and from dandruff, or if your hair is falling out, do not wait until you reach the point where you can actually count how many hairs are left on your head.

Most cases of baldness are caused because the roots lack proper nutrition. In such cases there is a microbe which bores through the scalp along the line of the hair into the root and when it lodges there it begins to destroy the fatty matter around the hair roots. When the scalp and hair roots are strong and healthy, it is impossible for these microbes to get in their deadly work.

We can promise you that if your hair is falling out and you have not let it go too far, you can repair the damage already done by using Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. It is a scientific, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal preparation that destroys microbes, stimulates good circulation around the hair roots, promotes hair nourishment, removes dandruff and restores hair health. It is as pleasant to use as pure water, and it is delicately perfumed. It is a real toilet necessity.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic with our promise that it will cost you nothing unless you are perfectly satisfied with its use. It comes in two sizes, prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain it only at our store—The Rexall Store, The Owl Drug Co. (Inc.) Tenth and Washington, Thirtieth and Broadway, Sixteenth and San Pablo.

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Mutilation of Books of Company Fastened on President Vail of Dutchess.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., April 23.—As a result of an investigation of the affairs of the Dutchess Fire Insurance Company of this city by State Superintendent of Insurance and his examiners, the superintendent tonight recommended the retirement of Louis H. Vail as president and director of the company.

The Dutchess Insurance Company of this city went out of business soon after the Dutchess fire in 1906, and was followed by the organization of the Dutchess Fire Insurance Company.

Among the charges made against the directors of the old company is that certain of them bought the claims in an amount below their face value, reaped a profit of \$50,000 and have not accounted for the money.

Steamer Iowa Goes Aground Near Racine

CHICAGO, April 23.—The steamship Iowa of the Goodrich Line, is aground between Racine and Kenosha. The tug T. T. Morford has been sent to her relief. It is not thought any serious damage has been done, although the vessel has been aground since 4 a. m.

The City of Benton Harbor, of the Graham and Morton line, arrived here several hours late today after an all night battle with the wind and waves on its way from St. Joseph, Mich.

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Thomas Pike Takes Wife as a Surprise

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The cult of perpetual celibacy has lost a member supposed to be in good standing, in the marriage of Thomas H. Pike, one of the entertaining Pike brothers, and a member of the Family Club of this city. The ceremony which made him a benedict took place at Coalinga on Wednesday last, when at high noon he was quietly married to Miss Bess Taylor, a belle of that place. The only witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Guterson, the latter being a sister of the bride. The couple will settle in that place after May 1. Pike is identified in the oil industry of this State and is widely known.

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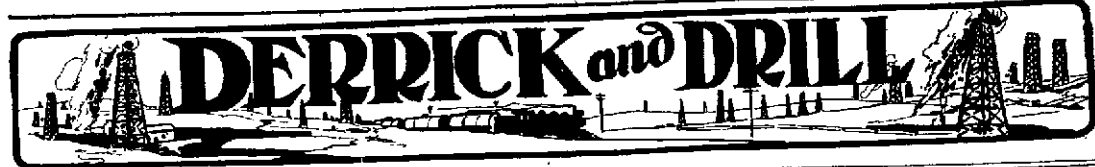
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NEW FIELDS ARE EXPLOITED FOR OIL AND BIG BOOM IS ON IN THE OLD SECTIONS

**FIFTY-SEVEN WELL
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Formation in Blue Shale--Pacific States Is Attracting Attention.

COALINGA, April 23.—The Fifty-seven Oil Company, on 12-14, has No. 1 well about 1500 feet deep in 10-inch casing and the formation is a blue shale. The water will be shut off at 1620 feet and it is expected to strike the oil sand at less than 1700 feet.

The Pacific States, which is attracting much attention, will be put on the pump this evening and again tested. A Parker pump has been put in the hope of obtaining better results.

The Cosmo Oil Company started drilling again and intend to push the work on its well to completion. The company is composed of men who are hustlers and we look for a well in the near future. This well is located in the Devil's Den field.

Spinks Crude Oil Company has its well No. 1 down 500 feet while No. 4 E is down 200. Good time is being made on these wells.

Six Acre Oil Company is down 1000 feet in 12-1/2 inch casing with everything going nicely. Pacific States Petroleum Company's well No. 1 has sanded up again and is being bailed out. There is a very heavy gas pressure and the prospects look extremely good.

REBUILDING RIG.

Silver Tip Oil Company is building its rig over its well No. 2, which burned down the other day.

Empire Oil Company has its well No. 2 down 900 feet in its 12-1/2 inch casing. No. 3 well is down 800 feet in 12-1/2 inch casing.

Coalinga Hub Oil Company has its well No. 1 down 2800 feet in 8-5/8 inch casing. It is in a white formation at the present time that looks very similar to that struck in the Lucile No. 1.

Republic Oil Company has its well No. 2 down 800 feet in 12-1/2 inch casing. Coalinga Royal Oil Company is down 600 feet in its well No. 1. It is carrying the 12-1/2 inch casing.

READY TO DRILL.

Coalinga Monterey Oil Company on the northwest quarter of 4-20-15, has its rig up and is ready to commence drilling. This is the quarter that was jumped some time ago by local parties.

Union Oil Company has a well down 500 feet in 17-inch stovepipe casing on the same quarter.

Union Oil Company has its derrick up on the southeast quarter of 4-20-15, and is rigging up. The old Claremont well on the same quarter is being put in.

OAKLAND MEN ARE HOPEFUL OF GETTING GUSHER IN MIDWAY

A. J. Snyder, president of the Midway Premier Oil Company, is in hourly anticipation of receiving the news that the first of the two wells being drilled by his company have gone into the oil sands. The drill is now down 1100 feet and has passed through the first sands. The company adjoins the famous Santa Fe gusher, which was brought in at a depth of 1300 feet and the 30,000-barrel a day playspouter which was driven 2600 feet. The property controlled consists of 40 acres in section 5, township 32 south, range 23 east, M. D. B. and M.

The Midway Premier is principally an Oakland venture and its directors are the following: A. J. Snyder, Frank W. Smith, Timothy Spellacy and Rufus G. Smith, all of this city. Others interested in it are W. B. Beasley, A. C. Tugman, John McLeod and Fred V. Gordon of Los Angeles and T. M. Young of Eureka. The secretary is Harry W. Thomas, formerly secretary of the Board of Public Works in this city.

De Luxe Oil Well Doing 300 Every Day

COALINGA, April 23.—DeLuxe Oil Company has its well No. 1 doing about 300 barrels per day. Well No. 2 is down 2250 feet in its 10-inch casing. One fact that should be noted about well No. 1 is that it was drilled with oil, a process that is necessarily very much lower but that will prove without a doubt if there is water in or between the sands which has been generally advocated by some of the operators in that section. The well was drilled through the light sand and into the heavy sand 35 feet without striking a particle of water. This goes to show that the water must be carried down with the pipe or that the heavy sand has been drilled through, thus letting in the water from below.

shape. The pipe will be banded up and the water will be cemented off.

Consolidated Oil Company of Coalinga is putting in its 8-5/8 inch casing which will be carried down to the oil.

John W. Keith and W. M. Boggs have purchased 8 acres in 8-20-15 from W. H. Pennerman and will begin work at once. They already have the material on the ground for the first rig.

Coalinga Unity Oil Company has its well No. 4 down 300 feet in its 12-1/2 inch casing.

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HUNDREDS OF NEW WELLS IN VENTURA FIELD

Scores of Capitalists Are Seeking Lands, Leases and Options.

MANY WELLS COME IN WITH AVERAGE FLOWS

List of the Prospects in the Field and What Is Being Done.

SANTA PAULA, April 23.—The oil boom has struck the Ventura fields again in all its intensity.

Demands for light gravity, refining oils of the Ventura fields is proving a lodestone to investors. Even the excitement over the gushers in Midway field has not diverted attention from this region. Dozens of new derricks are to be seen throughout the Ventura field. According to Field Manager Grinnell of the Union Oil Company, who handles the production and for the Union in the Ventura district, about forty strings of tools are now being run in this region. In Santa Paula canyon, in the Sulphur mountain region; at Piru; in Torrey canyon; in Sespe canyon district, the greatest activity in years prevails, the largest development in Sespe canyon being in the Little Sespe.

SCORES OF NEW STRIKES.

Scores of oil strikes have been made in these fields within the past few weeks. Among them may be mentioned the Wingate, which at a depth of 800 feet has secured a 25-barrel a day well.

The Ventura Coast, operating south of Piru, struck a 25-barrel a day well at 600 feet, but C. B. Wright, who is operating this well, decided to go deeper, and has the well down now at 700 feet, although the well would pay excellently on the basis of 25 barrels per day. The Bardesdale Crude, which at 1200 feet has struck a 100-barrel a day well; the Ojai Petroleum Company, which has brought in a 200-barrel a day well of about 18 gravity on its well No. 2, in Santa Paula canyon; the Turner, which has brought in a sixty-barrel well; the

VETERANS ENJOY FROLIC IN PARK

Midway Visited By G. A. R. Ferullo's Band Plays National Airs.

Idora Park was turned over to the veterans of the Civil War yesterday, and during the long hours of the afternoon the old soldiers, who are holding their annual encampment in this city, enjoyed themselves. The electric swings, dizzy whirls, the automobile race course, ferris wheel, scenic railway, merry-go-round and all the hundred and one other play-time concessions were pressed into service for the occasion and dignity was laid aside, for a brief time at least, while joy held full sway.

Accompanied by their wives and children the old war heroes entered the park in groups and couples. The pleasure resort, decorated in the national flags and banners, was ready for their coming, and during the afternoon Ferullo's band played the inspiring national airs.

Light refreshments were served in the big pavilion and guides escorted the visitors from point to point, while a voluntary committee made up of various residents of this city who offered their services, acted as hosts, doing all in their power to make the day an enjoyable one.

Many of the old veterans found themselves overcome by fatigue at the conclusion of the long parade of the morning and were unable to participate, but the greater number were present and the program was voted one of the most successful of the eminently successful week.

The members of the Women's Auxiliary of the G. A. R., clad in white gowns, were there in force and assisted in receiving the veterans. Flowers were distributed freely among the old blue coats, and they left the park each bearing an arm full of California blossoms. The day, though warm, was windless and cloudless and added much to the pleasure of the holiday.

HawKeye Oil People Elect New Officers

COALINGA, April 23.—HawKeye Oil Company held its stockholders meeting Saturday night and elected the following officers and directors for the following year: A. P. May, president; H. R. Crozier, vice-president; H. C. Kerr, treasurer; and E. R. Walker, secretary and general manager. These four, with H. C. Wood of Pasadena, G. H. Smith of Fresno, and C. E. Holloway of Hollywood, constitute the board. The company is incorporated under the laws of California with a capitalization of \$350,000, of a par value of \$1, and will operate on the land it bought from the San Juan and Netherlands Oil Company, which is as good as there is on the west side field.

Arbitration Board to Settle Disputes

A number of oil men and representatives of companies whose holdings in the Midway district have been greatly in dispute have joined in forming an arbitration board and will abide by the decisions of the board which they have created for the settlement of all disputes in regard to title.

White Star, which has brought in a 100 barrel a day well, and the Dixie National, which shows for about fifty barrels a day; at 2550 feet the New Company, in the Four Forks district, has struck a well showing fifty barrels a day, while in Nigger canyon, a mile and one-half from Piru, Ventura Oil Development Company has got into light sand at 450 feet and is bringing up much high-gravity oil in the bucket, with considerable gas pressure. Manager Daniels of this company is working night and day shifts on his well No. 2, and has struck practically the same formation at 450 feet that the Colonial Oil Company, also in Nigger canyon, struck at 500 feet. This is thought to prove the upward dip of the oil sands in Nigger canyon.

THOUSANDS OF BARRELS.

In the Sulphur mountain district the Liberty Oil Company has struck oil sands and brought up a good showing in the bucket. Their well No. 2 has struck a flow of water at 250 feet, averaging 6000 barrels a day. This water has been bailed off and the well will go deeper. Manager Cowell was offered a large sum for his water rights. Well No. 1 is pumping for well No. 2.

The following is a list of some of the new wells in the Ventura fields: PIRU—Camulus Development Company, on Newhall ranch, two wells. United Mining and Oil Company, at Piru, one well depth of 30 feet. Slocum Brothers, Piru canyon, 1 well, depth 200 feet. Colonial Oil Company, Nigger canyon, 1 well, 500 feet.

Ventura Development Company, two wells—No. 1, 400 feet; No. 2, 500 feet. Wingate Oil Company, 1 well, 800 feet. Harris Oil Company, two wells in Hopewell canyon.

SEESPE CANYON—Crown Oil Company, 1 well. Brownstone Oil Company, drilling on fifth well.

Rock Island, ready to drill on first well. Big Sespe, drilling wells Nos. 7 and 8.

MANY NEW COMPANIES.

TAR CRICK—Stockholders' Oil Company, drilling wells Nos. 1 and 2. Anaconda Oil Company, has rigging on well No. 1.

Brunton Brothers and their associates, building rigging. BARDSDALE—The Montebello Oil Company is 800 feet down on its first well.

A fine well has been struck by the Bardesdale Crude on its well No. 3, which is now running an average of 100 barrels high gravity oil per day.

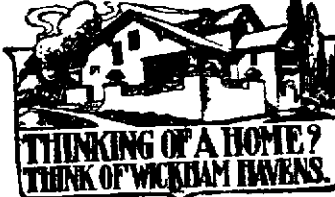
SANTA PAULA CANYON—Santa Paula canyon is humming. The Paula Oil Company is drilling wells Nos. 4 and 5.

The Forest City National is drilling on wells Nos. 6 and 7.

The Pyramid, Hill Top, Hill Side and Fleischer Oil Companies are drilling on their No. 1 wells.

Bard Oil Company is drilling on wells Nos. 27, 28 and 29.

Capitol Crude is drilling on well No. 9. Ojai Petroleum is drilling on well No. 4 and has completed well No. 3, which is a 200 barrel per day well of 18 gravity.



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OIL NOTES

Reports from the Jewel Oil Company are to the effect that the foreman has put well No. 8 upon the beam. Foreman Johnson states that this well is good for 150 barrels per day. A demonstrative production of approximately 7000 barrels was being produced by the wells formerly drilled. This increases the production to 5000 barrels, or 25,000 barrels per month.

The superintendent expects to have fourteen wells completed by July 1. U. S. Waugh is president of the company. Well No. 9 is now being drilled and is nearing completion.

The Crescenzo Oil Company has six wells already drilled. It is located on the famous 25 Hill, in section 25, Midway district. These wells have all been finished at a depth of about 1800 feet. Well No. 7 is now being drilled, and it is planned to go down to a depth of about 1600 feet. At this depth the management expects to reach the same sand of the Santa Fe gusher in the adjoining section. The Santa Fe well is now producing about 8000 barrels of oil per day.

The well which the Ventura county has reached a depth of 1685 feet, and it is stated, will be completed within a few days. The Pyramid Company has also recently acquired some interests in the Midway district.

While putting casing in well No. 5 of the New San Francisco Crude, the derrick gave way and was badly damaged. The Coalinga National, 8-20-15, is 2548 feet deep in 8-inch casing, and the water will be shut off in another fifty feet. The management expects to get into the oil sand at about 2625 feet.

The Coalinga Eight Oil Company, which was recently organized by J. M. Keith and W. S. Boggs of the Imperial, is hauling material for a rig on the property purchased from Carter and Metcalf, on R. 20-15.

The Eagle Creek Company's No. 3 well, on section 31-31-28 Midway, came in on last Wednesday, and flowed for an hour and a half. In that time it produced 300 barrels of oil. When the well is cleaned out it is estimated that it will produce from 2500 to 3000 barrels a day, and therefore will be entitled to be placed in the gusher class.

The well is 1552 feet deep, and drilling begun on February 15. It was started with 16-inch casing and finished with 8-inch. It is only 300 feet from the Santa Fe gusher and is expected to be a great well.

The Eagle Creek Company is rigging up preparatory to starting on No. 4 well. Last Tuesday the Standard Oil Company encountered a heavy gas pressure in well No. 1, on section 22-31-23, Midway district, at a depth of 2315 feet. This well is a mile and a half from the Stan-

dard's famous gasser. Those in charge believe that the prospects are bright for a big well, and drilling will proceed as fast as possible.

The well is on a low range about six miles north of Taft. Considerable work is being done in that locality, but none has progressed far enough to demonstrate what the result will be. Experienced oil men say that great things are to be expected, and the Standard's will tend to show that their prediction is well based. A good well there will prove the district in another direction, and will add to the promise of the Ell. range lying further beyond.

Incendiary Suspected In San Francisco Fire

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—A fire which broke out at 2 o'clock this morning, destroyed the residence of John Grady, a former fire commissioner, which had been vacated early this week. The house was located at 397 Lane street, and when the department arrived the flames had gained considerable headway. Some neighbors had the idea that the blaze was of incendiary origin, and Fire Marshal Towle is investigating.

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Once More the Political Bunco.

The organs of the so-called Lincoln-Roosevelt League appear to be incensed at the kind words spoken of President Taft by William R. Hearst and the frank approval given the administration by the editor. It dampens their elation over the Republican reverses in the recent by-elections. Their chagrin at the one and their joy over the other shows their anxiety for Republican success in the coming election.

Be not deceived. The conflict now being waged is not a contest for supremacy between two Republican factions. It is a battle to decide whether the Republican party or the Democratic party shall rule the country, whether the principles of Hamilton, Lincoln, Garfield and Roosevelt shall prevail or the doctrines of Jefferson, Calhoun and Buchanan be accepted as guiding policies for the nation; whether protection to American industry and trade shall continue or the bars thrown down to free trade and open competition with the cheap labor of Europe and the Orient.

In this struggle we find the enemies of the Republican administration and the protective policy, whether Democrats or mugwumps, masquerading as insurgents and progressives, adjuring the people in the name of former President Roosevelt to overthrow Republican ascendancy and strike down protective policies. They are all crying down with the tariff. Every attack on the tariff is an attack on the policy of protection. Every complaint they utter against the Taft administration is a Democratic complaint. The success of their designs means the success of the Democratic party and the downfall of the Republican party and the principles and policies to which it stands committed.

The charges hurled at President Taft and the Republican Congress are the same charges that were hurled at President Harrison and the Republican Congress of 1891-93. They come now from the same sources they came then. They are having the same effect now that they had then. Republican traitors assisted the Democrats to elect Grover Cleveland and a Democratic Congress. What was the result? Tariff-smashing, panic, industrial wreck, financial paralysis and universal ruin and bankruptcy.

History is repeating itself—with this difference, that the enemies of the Republican party are using the name of Theodore Roosevelt to delude and decoy. We do not believe he will permit them to do this much longer. Mr. Roosevelt has always been a strict party man. He has always been a staunch protectionist, and he has never yet given his countenance to insurrection and treachery in his own party. He believes in organization and party discipline, and he has not yet recalled the hearty endorsement he gave the present Republican leaders in Congress.

When Franklin K. Lane was a Democratic candidate for Governor he went through the State lauding Roosevelt to the skies. Because there was a good Republican President at Washington he asked that the Democrats be given control in California. He artfully appealed for Republican votes by praising the Republican President and ignoring the history and policies of the Democratic party, and declining to say a word in favor of his associates on the Democratic ticket. Was Mr. Roosevelt caught by this flattery and adulation? Nay, indeed. In the closing days of the campaign, when the success of Dr. Pardee was extremely doubtful, he requested the late Edward H. Harriman to exert all his influence in behalf of the Republican ticket in California. Mr. Harriman did so. The tide was turned and George C. Pardee was elected Governor.

Again in 1906 Theodore Bell tried the same trick with the people that Lane had essayed. He denounced the Republican party over the shoulders of President Roosevelt. He asked an endorsement for himself and his party by extravagant laudation of the Republican President. He failed as Lane failed.

At the most critical stage of the campaign Hon. Victor H. Metcalf, Mr. Roosevelt's California representative in the cabinet, issued a statement to the effect that the President desired the election of Governor Gillett and the Republican ticket. For the second time the game of political bunco was punctured and collapsed.

But for the third time it is being essayed. Once more an effort is being made to bait the Democratic trap with Roosevelt's popularity. However, the snare has been twice exposed and defeated, and the Republican masses are not likely to be again deceived by it. They are not going to endorse a pseudo Republican candidate who is in open alliance with the Democrats and who repudiates and rails at the Republican President and the Republican majority in Congress. They recognize the Democratic Indian beneath the paint, and do not fail to note that he is striking at the policies as well as the leadership of the Republican party.

The Bulletin's estimate of 70,000 prostitutes in San Francisco is probably based upon the personal experience of the editor of that sheet. He knows so few of the other kind of women that he is to be pardoned for believing them to be rare exceptions. Still his figures indicate a rather remarkable estimate of the standard of female purity prevailing in the metropolis. However, it is not three weeks since a sensational San Francisco divine announced from the pulpit that agents of civic purity had discovered no less than 20,000 courtesans in the city. His figures indicate that at least one out of every four women is a member of Mrs. Warren's profession. We don't believe it. In our opinion the preacher has scandalously defamed the womanhood of San Francisco. Nevertheless, it is shocking that statements so demoralizing and so discreditable to the inhabitants of the city should be circulated as coming from a minister of the gospel. The barroom brawler and street masquerader places a higher estimate on female virtue than does this divine.

So the University of Oxford, the most conservative and aristocratic of English universities, is to make John Burns (who is neither conservative nor aristocratic, neither a lawyer nor a scholar, nor even an Oxonian), a doctor of laws. This is another evidence of the rising tide of democracy in England. Burns is a mechanic, and all his life has been fighting caste, privilege and the artificial distinctions of heredity. In the beginning he fought with the police in the streets, but as he grew older and wiser he battled for human rights with his brains in the forum of public opinion. He became a force in British politics by reason of his incorruptible honesty, his devotion to truth and his unswerving loyalty to the interests of the masses. Now the poor workingman who went to Parliament in his blouse is a member of the imperial cabinet and is to be honored with the degree of L. L. D. by the oldest and most renowned of English universities. There is something fine in this recognition by the most ancient and aristocratic seat of learning of the sturdy democrat who has challenged title and privilege in their citadels. It shows that the scholarship of England knows how to honor and respect a man.

ME TOO, FROM ELBA



William Jennings Bryan is on his way from South America to New York. He has sent ahead of him a letter to the Democracy, in which he alleges that President Taft has adopted the free silver belief and pre-success for the Democrats in the approaching elections on the old issue of 16 to 1. As Mr. Bryan is bringing a collection of lambs with him, it is suggested another return from Elba with the hero of two battles aboard one of these beasts.

—ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.

Eating Goats to Fight Meat Trust

Twenty thousand pounds of goat meat is consumed in Brooklyn weekly now because of the high prices demanded for beef, lamb, mutton and pork. It is selling at 5 and 6 cents a pound lower than mutton and lamb, and no effort is being made

to violate the law by concealing its identity. Most of the goat meat is used by the poorer classes. Many of those who use it say they like it fully as well as the higher-priced meats. They also assert it is equally nourishing. Most of the goat meat

supply comes from the western meat centers, and the goats are sent here killed and dressed for the wholesale market.

Dealers in that borough say that last year scarcely any goats were sent to their market, and that now goat meat is a recognized commodity which seems to be growing in popularity in the poorest sections. It is thought if the existing high meat prices continue the use of goat meat will spread to Manhattan and the Bronx, and thousands of persons will use that flesh as a substitute for more expensive meats. What the consumers fear is that as soon as the meat trust knows the goat is competing with it in the most important market in this country it will proceed to corner the goat supply and jack up the prices.

Wholesale dealers in Wallabout Market say the wholesale prices of meats have advanced 25 to 46 per cent in the last two months, and none of them can recall when so much was demanded for beef, lamb, and mutton by the packers. To show the rapid advances which have been made in prices of meat by the 100 pounds, these figures were given out in the market yesterday:

Week ended—	Beef	Lamb	Mutton
February 25.....	\$9.10	\$13.23	\$10.22
March 4.....	4.61	13.02	11.38
March 11.....	30.06	14.45	11.41
March 18.....	30.18	15.15	12.70
March 25.....	30.78	16.22	13.70
April 1.....	31.21	17.77	14.57
April 8.....	31.08	17.50	14.10

—New York Press

Why Are Men Burglars?

The Springfield youth who by day was a business employee of apparently exemplary habits and by night a burglar and, as it proved, a murderer, is a type of criminal that novelists and playwrights occasionally portray, though examples in real life are rare. It is a type criminologists have seriously studied, but only with the result of leaving the problem of dual personality involved an unfathomable mystery of human nature. The puzzle yet remains of the moral obliquity which diverts into criminal channels intelligence and capacity of the kind of which Spencer's exploits as a burglar show him to have been possessed.

But, apart from moral considerations, the greater puzzle, seeing that he was determined to embark on a

career of crime, is his voluntary choice of burglary, one of the most hazardous and least remunerative of criminal professions. Burglary at no time has earned its followers an income in any way commensurate with the skill required for its successful practice, let alone its risks. What have 38 years of burglary profited the veteran crackman with half a dozen aliases, and a record of eight prison terms who was reported in yesterday's news as again under arrest?

When a poor man thinks of wealth he thinks how he would spend it, rather than how he would invest it, which is probably one reason he is a poor man thinking of wealth.

CHARACTER of JOHN D. Jr.

There seems to be no room for doubt that he is deeply religious, and that his religion has the tinge of asceticism. A tinge of asceticism, it may be remarked, is not a bad thing, if it be genuine and not assumed for a purpose. Think of what an exhibition we might be having if John D. Jr. had had a slant in the other direction! Let us thank the good Lord that the heir of all those millions has no marked predilection for chorus girls, a la Thaw, or for breaking the Bank of Monte Carlo, a la Schwab. As a boy, it is said, he manifested a pious disposition and cared more for Sunday School than for the field of athletic sports. At Brown University he was a leader in Christian work and led what we call the ascetic life when somebody else leads it, and what we call the simple life when we ourselves lead it. He was not particularly popular, perhaps. But he was respected, and he was selected to handle the football funds of the varsity team.

He is pallid and an observer is apt to infer that he is anemic. Perhaps he is; but it is said that he used to rise regularly at 6 o'clock in the morning and take a horseback ride in the Poconico hills before breakfast, and there is another story about 80 cords of wood which he cut, also in pre-breakfast time. That does not look like anemia exactly. His eyes, however, have given him some trouble, and he has worn glasses ever since his school days. He has broad shoulders, but is a little less than the average height. In all

things he is abstemious, and in the matter of alcoholic liquors he is and always has been a total abstainer.—Current Literature.

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

An earthquake shock, the most severe which had been felt in Oakland for many years is recorded on the seismograph at Chabot Observatory and Professor Charles Burkhalter in his report stated the general direction was from the southwest to the northeast and occurred at 37 minutes and 44 seconds past 3 o'clock in the morning, stopping the mean time clock and lasting for 6 seconds.

The Oakland and Berkeley Rapid Traction Company's line is being built to Berkeley and the people who had not become educated at that time to the advantages of the trolley car are considering an opposition to its building, feeling that the car tracks would depress property valuations along its route. The promoters are considering the building of a cross town line to run from Twenty-Third avenue to the Sixteenth street depot.

Elder E. H. Gates formerly opened the spring conference of the Seventh Day Adventist Association by a sermon in the evening which a large number attended. The session lasted for six days and many delegates were present from other cities.

Professor Frank Soule of the State University had consented to repeat his popular lecture on "The

Sun" at Hamilton Hall for the benefit of the Good Samaritan Mission.

H. T. Smith has returned from San Jose, where he has a delegate to the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Smith was a candidate for the office of Department Commander, but withdrew from the fight before the election. He reports that the veterans were loud in their praises of the hospitality of the San Jose people.

The East Oakland Tennis club is opened with a match between Daisy and Charles Yates of the California club, two of the best players of the time on the Pacific Coast.

Harmony had not existed for some time past between the trustees of the Chabot Sheltering Home and the managers of the institution, the latter resigning and devoting their energies to the management of the Woman's Exchange.

The Senior class in military science at the University had been invited to visit the cruiser Charleston, which was lying in the harbor.

A telegram from London confirmed the report that Miss Josephine Simon, the Oakland songstress, has been patronized by William Ewart Gladstone, who took great delight in presenting her at all the receptions.

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MRS. JANE RALPHS BESSETTE, a charming Berkeley bride. —Webster, Photo.

week, and their intention was to take a house in London, and to be there for the London season. Unlike affairs in America, the social season is at its height in June, and London is specially gay in the mid-summer days. All the town houses are open, and the season which in London means

The club luncheon on Thursday was a most interesting event over a hundred guests assembling at the tables, which carried the loveliest of spring decorations.

All club gatherings show very attractive color pictures, the gowns and hats of today are, in many cases,

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original poems and Sixteenth Century music. Mrs. E. D. Yorker gave a very clever original poem, "Mood Reminiscent, in a Mythical

SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK



MISS STELLA RUCKER, a winsome girl, popular in local society.



MISS AVIS BURCHARD, a prominent society girl and a talented pianist.

Way," picturing the section as welcoming Shakespeare back to the Twentieth Century. In return the poet applied to the members personally, many of his best known quotations, which were greatly enjoyed.

Miss Jean Booth gave on the piano a fine rendition of the following Pavana, "Earl of Salisbury," by Byrd, "Le Tambourine" by J. Ph. Rameau, Gavotte-Gluck-Brande.

Mrs. Fred B. Taylor delighted all by her singing of Shakespearean songs. It was a Lover and His Lass, "Under the Greenwood Tree," from "As You Like It," and "Bid Me Discourse" from "Twelfth Night."

A bright original birthday song, written by Miss Julia E. Colby, the birthday girl, was sung with enthusiasm by the members.

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people were so beautifully served that many compliments were bestowed upon her efficient management.

KING'S DAUGHTERS WORKERS TO BANQUET.

Many prominent people during the week have received the following invitation and responses have been so general that a most successful evening is assured.

The board of directors of the King's Daughters of California Home for incurables requests the presence of yourself and lady or gentleman friend at a banquet to be given in the new Masonic Cathedral banquet room, corner of Fifteenth and Madison streets, Oakland, Thursday evening, April 28 at 8:30 o'clock. The gathering will be in the interests of the new building campaign for the Home for incurables. Brief addresses will be given during the evening by Hon. Henry A. Melvin, Hon. Frank K. Motz, Rabbi M. Friedlander, Mr. Harrison Clay, Rev. B. B. Dille, D. D. Roy Charles R. Brown, Mr. Henry J. McCoy, Rev. Frank Goodspeed, D. D., and others.

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MRS. MARY CHILDS GIVES AN AT HOME.

One of the largest "at homes" of the week was that given by Mrs. Mary Childs in honor of Miss Helen Dornin whose engagement to William Childs was a recent announcement. The day was ideal for a tea, and many guests assembled in honor of this well known girl, one of the most popular brides-elect of the spring.

The house was lovely with bright decorations, quantities of delicious adorning the drawing room and in the dining room were effective bridesmaid's roses.

Mrs. Childs looked exceedingly well in a becoming gown of crepe de chine, in soft gray tones.

Miss Helen Dornin wore an elaborate gown of white lace, beautifully designed. Miss Dornin brought the home from Paris, when she came home from Europe a short time ago.

Mrs. George Dornin wore a handsome gown of white broadcloth, beautifully trimmed in lace.

One saw many lovely gowns at the tea and they added to the picturesque effect of this very bright "at home."

Miss Ella Bacon Soule wore an exceedingly handsome gown of white satin, with a black lace overdress.

Mrs. Frank C. Havens was a lovely study in a very beautiful costume, in exquisite pale pearl gray tones. The gown was of soft grey crepe de chine, showing a fine design and the handsome costume was set off by a most becoming hat, also in tones of gray, with soft gray plumes.

Mrs. T. C. Coogan wore an elaborate gown of black lace over white liberty satin, and Miss May Coogan looked exceedingly well in a dainty white lingerie gown.

Mrs. Taylor Bell (Helen Chase) wore a very pretty gown of green

liberty satin, the gown, attractively trimmed in lace.

Among the many effective costumes of the afternoon were those worn by Mrs. Frank C. Havens, Mrs. William Dornin, Mrs. Charles T. Havens, Mrs. Maude, Mrs. Joseph Kelly, Mrs. George Perry, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Redmond, Mrs. Laren, Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Ethel Johnson, Mrs. Josephine Johnson, Mrs. Harold Martin.

Many complimentary affairs are being planned this spring for Miss Dornin, among which is a luncheon and bridge to be given by Mrs. George Chase. Mrs. Chase will entertain her guests on Thursday, April 28, at her home in Piedmont.

Mrs. and Mrs. Everson leave for the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Everson and the Misses Marian and Edie Everson left last Friday for the East and Europe, and their stay abroad is to be an indefinite one. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts (Edie Everson) will occupy the family home on Filbert street.

Mr. Everson has not been to Europe before, but Mrs. Everson and her daughters have had several trips abroad. The Eversons are to travel leisurely through Europe and some time during the summer they are to be at Oberammergau.

Mrs. Soule, Miss Bacon and Douglas Soule are also among those planning the summer abroad. They will leave some time in May, taking the Mediterranean trip, and during the summer they will find themselves in the quaint Bavarian village, where will be given the famous Paseton play, preparations for which are attracting the attention of the whole world.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller entertains.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller was the hostess at an elaborate luncheon, given across the bay this week, her guest of honor being Miss Amy Boyles. Mrs. Miller entertained her guests at the Francesca Club, which is one of the most artistic of the many women's clubs across the bay.

Plans to build picturesque home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Chickering (Theo Parr) are planning to build a very picturesque home in the near

future. Meantime they are at the Peralta Apartments on Jackson street, and at the same apartments are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jackson and their little daughter.

Recent guests at Del Monte.

Among the recent guests at Del Monte were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee, who motored to Monterey with Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr. The Magees are very firm friends of Mrs. Oelrichs and of Mrs. Vanderbilt and are much entertained by them when they are in New York.

Social dates for the young people.

There have been more social dates for the young people than is usual in the late spring days. Mrs. Harry Maxwell entertained at a very jolly and successful dinner in honor of Miss Patricia of Alameda, whose engagement was announced last week.

Miss Edna McDuffie of Santa Barbara has been Miss Maxwell's guest for some weeks and she was a delightful hostess on Thursday, entertaining at an elaborate luncheon in honor of Miss Maxwell and Miss Mary Skafie.

Miss Skafie's engagement to Mr. McDuffie was a recent announcement.

Miss McDuffie entertained her guests at the Claremont Country Club and the elaborate luncheon was followed by a game of bridge.

Informal dances have special charm.

Informal dances have their special charm for the young people—to dance is what they love to do best in the world—and it is a heart-breaking event to miss one dance in the evening. Miss Carol Mills entertained at an informal dance on Tuesday evening, asking a few friends to be her guests at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Rupert Whitehead.

Her guests included for the most part the young people who took part in the Carmen dance at the Kirmess early in the spring.

Miss Dorothy Capwell was also a delightful young hostess of the week, entertaining at an informal dance at the Country Club on Thursday evening. Mrs. Capwell is most hospitable, and she takes a great deal of trouble for her daughter and the latter's young friends.

The Capwells have a very delightful home at Brookdale, and Mrs. Capwell loves to entertain there during the summer, merry parties of young guests, friends of her pretty daughter, Dorothy.

At the Claremont Club

on Thursday evening was followed by a very enjoyable supper and Mr. and Mrs. Capwell planned an ideal evening for their daughter and her young friends.

MISS HOLLAND PLANS A LARGE AFFAIR.

Miss Lois Holland has included seventy-five guests in the invitations which she has sent out for a dance to be given the latter part of this week. Miss Holland will entertain at her home on Telegraph avenue at what promises to be one of the most perfectly planned dances given at any home this season.

MANY DATES OF INTEREST.

The merry round goes on for the next week, and there are many dates of interest.

The Kelly-Palmer wedding is scheduled for Monday evening in San Francisco. Mrs. George Chase's luncheon takes place on Thursday, and on Thursday also Miss Pardee entertains for her English friend. On Saturday there will be the large reception for Miss "Pussy" Creed; there are card dates, innumerable, besides the Holmes Travelogues and the various offerings of the Orpheum and the theaters generally.

It is one's own fault if the lighter side of life does not find a reflection in one's own heart, as the beautiful spring days drift by.

CHARMING WEEK ENDS.

The beautiful spring weather which is general all over Central California has sent many people into the country much earlier than usual and is responsible for an altogether unusual number of week-end parties. Last week no one remained in town who could get away, for Saturday and Sunday were perfect days.

Among those who entertained house parties were the Athern Folgers, who are at their country place at Woodside. The Josselyns entertained a house party, of which Miss Ethel Cooper was a member. Judge and Mrs. James A. Cooper were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cooper at San Mateo. Mrs. Edgar Preston, who has left the Fairmont for good and has opened her country home, Portola, at Woodside, had Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston and Janet Norris for her guests over Sunday. Miss Elizabeth Woods was the guest of the Charles Clarks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. A. Miller are entertaining at a long series of dinner parties at their attractive home in Ross. Their guests Sunday before last were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton and Mrs. John Drum.

Mr. and Mrs. John Drum motored to Del Monte for the last week end. A motoring party which consisted entirely of a group of bright women made the Lake county trip last week,

returning to San Francisco on Monday evening. They stopped at all Lake county springs, but especially at Highland. Two motors were employed in making the trip. Among the ladies were Mrs. James Robinson, Mrs. William Mayo Newhall, Miss Laura McKinstry, Miss Jennie Hooker and Miss Elena Robinson.

Miss Marion Newhall and Miss Julia Langhorne have gone on a roughing trip to the Newhall ranch, where they expect to spend their time riding over the hills and camping out.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Deering left on Wednesday evening for Yosemite, where they will spend three or four weeks.

PICTURES IN THE MIDDLER.

Mrs. Jane Raphs Besette is a young bride of but several months, prominent in society and in the musical set of this city and Berkeley.

Miss Stella Rucker, a charming debutante, is one of the most popular girls in the University set and is prominent in the sorority life of the bay cities.

Miss Avis Burchard is another musically gifted girl and has taken part in many affairs given by amateurs of society.

Miss Hazel Dell Webb is a winsome girl who has many friends. She is possessed of a charming personality and of more than the usual amount of pulchritude. She, too, is musically gifted and sings with exceptional finesse.

LAST ST. FRANCIS CONCERTS.

The last St. Francis concerts have been rather frosty affairs, though the Flonzley quartet was excellent material for a good concert. The concert before the last was distinctly poor, so it was an off night so far as the subscribers were concerned. The Flonzley concert would perhaps have been well attended if so many people had not been out of town. Society is returning to town for the last Maud Allan dances, but it would not come up for chamber music. There were no new or striking gowns worn at the last concert. Everyone is "finishing up" evening gowns and no new or striking creations are due to appear until the fall.

There is nothing especially interesting billed at the theaters until the appearance of charming Grace George in a fortnight in her new play which has made a furore in the East. In May, also, there will be some Damrosch orchestral concerts and the first of them, on May 8, will be quite a society affair as it is for the benefit of the Elizabeth Muriel School fund and all of the post graduates of Miss Muriel's school are working for the success of the concert. They receive a percentage on all the seats they sell and the money received is

to go into a permanent endowment fund.

It will be interesting to see how Effie Shannon and Herbert Kelcey will be received at the Van Ness Theater, where they are to play "The Thief," in which Margaret Illington made such a hit a few seasons ago. Effie Shannon is a charming actress and a lovely woman, but one cannot quite imagine her in this role. At least she will not dress or play it as Margaret Illington did, for the lovely Illington behaved more like a courtesan than like a wife. It is a strong French play, with a strong motif and all husbands should go to see it. It is not so necessary for wives to, for it is, to paraphrase Barrie, what every woman knows.

Maude Adams is promised in June and everyone hopes she will do the charming Barrie play, "What Every Woman Knows," here. That is the worst of living so far from New York—one knows and sees so little of the New York successes until the productions are worn threadbare and the stars are stale in their lines.

COMINGS AND GOINGS OF PEOPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton will leave the Fairmont on the first of May and will open the house they have taken at Burlingame for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Pierce and their little daughter Heloise will move into the Sam Knight place at Burlingame about the first of May. The Knights are going to Europe for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grant and the Misses Josephine and Edith Grant have sailed from New York to pass the late spring, summer and early autumn in England. They have taken a house there. Douglas Grant, who was to have gone with them, burned himself badly on the cigar lighter as the Fairmont a day or so before the departure of the family and has since spent his time at the Adler sanatorium. He is now convalescing and will be able to travel soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mendell and Miss Louise Janin and Covington Janin have taken a house in Belvedere, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. William Mintzer is still confined to her bed so that the family plans for the summer are indefinite but it is quite probable that the Mintzers will spend some time in Santa Barbara. All of the children will come from the East to spend the summer holidays here.

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—Arrowsmith, Photo.

OWEN MORAN FAVORITE OVER TOMMY MCCARTHY

Favorites Win Half the Card Yesterday at Oakland Racetrack

FIGHT FANS FLOCK LIKE SHEEP TO THE LONG-ENDER

Butcher, if in Condition, Should Be at Shorter Price, but Wagering Goes Merrily On

By EDDIE SMITH.

TRAVEL men there are in this world who bet on any proposition one might offer as for instance, the one time well known character, Plum Pudding Tommy, who bet that he would live until the morning and be on the streets looking for a drink after the hospital doctor had informed him he must die. The story goes that Tommy was standing in the benzine emporium of Spider Kelly and was attacked with a hemorrhage. Some of the regulars about the place rushed the unfortunate fellow to a hospital, and after the medical men had worked over him for an hour he informed his friends that Tommy would not live until morning and that in case he had any relatives they should be notified immediately.

Poor Tommy has no one to care for him and the friends were about to leave the place filled with sorrow when in the twinkling of an eye Tommy was out on the streets looking for a drink. The story goes that Tommy was standing in the benzine emporium of Spider Kelly and was attacked with a hemorrhage. Some of the regulars about the place rushed the unfortunate fellow to a hospital, and after the medical men had worked over him for an hour he informed his friends that Tommy would not live until morning and that in case he had any relatives they should be notified immediately.

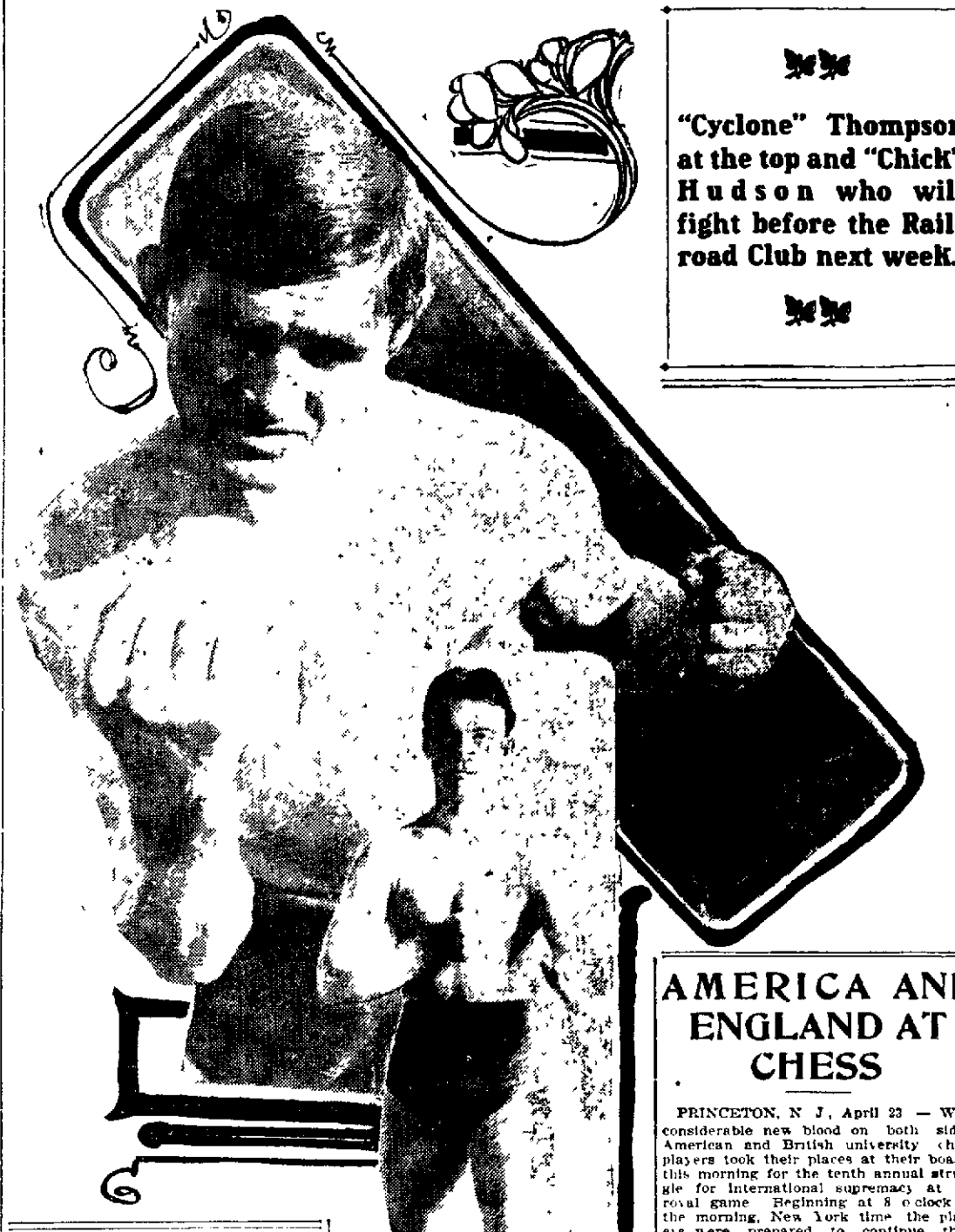
MORAN RULES FAVORITE
When Owen Moran and Tommy McCarthy stepped into the ring for their twenty-round contest next Friday night at the Britannia, the betting was in favor of the Irishman. The odds were 10 to 1 in favor of Moran, and the betting was in favor of the Irishman. The odds were 10 to 1 in favor of Moran, and the betting was in favor of the Irishman.

MCCARTHY IN FINE FORM
As yet McCarthy is somewhat of an unknown quantity. He has done all that is asked of him and has done it nicely, but his record does not warrant his being an even money chance with the experienced Englishman. When a boxer is coming to the front with the rapid strides of McCarthy, however, it is a dangerous thing to bet too heavily against him and there are any number of men who will ride a bet on the chances simply because he is a young fellow coming to the front. McCarthy is in great condition and will end the ring with a bang. If Moran beats him he will still have a chance to get up the ladder, but a win over the Britannia at this time would put the red hot pug right up among the top notches of the light weight class.

CYCLONE THOMPSON AGAIN
Tuesday night Cyclone Thompson will make another appearance at Oakland at the racetrack. He is now a favorite with the betting public and is expected to win the race. He is now a favorite with the betting public and is expected to win the race.

NEGLECT More Dangerous Than DISEASE
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"Cyclone" Thompson at the top and "Chick" Hudson who will fight before the Railroad Club next week.

AMERICA AND ENGLAND AT CHESS
PRINCETON, N. J., April 23.—With considerable new blood on both sides, American and British university chess players took their places at their boards this morning for the tenth annual struggle for international supremacy at the royal game. Beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning, New York time, the players were prepared to continue their rivalry by cable until 7 o'clock in the evening the hour set for closing.

BILLY PAPKE PLAYS ROLE OF HERO; SAVES 2 FROM DROWNING
ROWARDEN, N.Y., April 23.—Billy Papke added a new kind of laurel wreath to his brow yesterday afternoon when he rushed into the river and rescued two men from drowning. The heroism of the young man was rewarded by a gold medal and a certificate of appreciation from the local authorities.

Police Direct Crowds At Chicago Ball Park
CHICAGO, April 23.—Chief of Police Stewart has sent to commanding officers of the various police precincts a general order to instruct their men to guard against the overcrowding and blocking of aisles at all baseball parks in Chicago. The following is the order:

Amateur Aviator Just Misses Death
FRESNO, April 23.—While 300 feet in the air yesterday in a sport flight in a biplane, Eugene Perkins, a student aviator, narrowly escaped death when his plane stalled and he fell into the water. He was rescued by a nearby boat and is now recovering from his injuries.

St. Joseph's White Sox To Play Tourist Team
St. Joseph's White Sox will meet the Tourist team of San Francisco on the Frigate tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The Frigate boys are in excellent form and fast work is expected. The St. Joseph's team, however, is expected to be a college team, and the game is expected to be a close one.

Athletes Suspended as Result of Exposure
STANFORD UNIVERSITY, April 23.—As the outgrowth of the recent student body political scandal stirred up by a series of articles written by R. J. Miller and published in the "Stanford Redwood," the most prominent athletes in Stanford, have been suspended from the university for the remainder of the present semester.

EMERSONS WIN TWO GAMES
The Emersons defeated the Washingtons in a double-header taking both games. The features of the games were the batting and fielding and the battery work of the Emersons. The scores were 12 to 7 and 12 to 2.

PUGILIST'S NOSE BROKEN
Nat Goldie, 19 years of age, 408 Fifth street, called at the Receiving Hospital about midnight to have a broken nose treated. The injury was sustained in a contest at the Reliance Club fight.

FORMPLAYERS GET EVEN BREAK WITH THE LAYERS

Favorites Bowled Over by Rank Outsiders; Tramator and Lena Lech Save the Day for the Short-End Players

By LEE DEMIER

Form was at a discount at the Oakland track yesterday as only two favorites came down in front during the afternoon. A beautiful summer's day and a track that was lightning fast was responsible for bringing out a banner crowd. The layers all worked with their coats off as the heat of the sun was intense. The only exciting finish in the six events was the nose verdict Gene Russell got in the curtain raiser. The other five races were won comparatively easy by the winners.

The talent was like Paulhan (up in the air) as to what would win the day's opener. Lumen with Jockey A. Thomas aboard, was played from 4 to 13 to 5. Dalkito was next in demand at 4 to 1. In Paso, on the strength that the gelding would not bleed, was nibbled at straight and show. Then came the three-star paddock special, Father Downie whom the owners thought, barring accidents would come down in front and they backed up on the strength that he would be forcing the price down on the get of Percy from 15 to 8. After the talent and the ones that got the right tip and placed their wagers, a plunge developed just before post time on Gene Russell. The knowing ones backed the gelding from 10 down to 6. There was no mistake as Mentry, who had the boot up on Gene Russell, lay always within striking distance and bringing his mount up fast on the turn for home fought it out with Gene Russell. The gelding won and just lasted C. J. Cox could not lose the show as he always held the others safe.

Another surprise occurred in the second race when Sainotta with Anderson up, outgamed her field in the run for home, winning off by a length and a half. The race was an eagle bird for the layers as there was very little money wagered on the Bain money, who had the foot of the field dogged. It badly in the stretch but got in plenty of time to get the place from Calopus. The well-placed Silk developed into a place of calico when the real racing took place.

The Knight of the mid-night oil and the wise player hardly cooled out up to the third race. Tramator the choice, was quoted in the early betting at 6 to 5 and at post time the layers thought they would do their clients a favor by raising the price a point higher which was 7 to 5, and the public grabbed at the odds. The many that fell to the first two races loaded up the layers with Tramator money and the layers were quoted at 10 to 5 when the field was lined up to the barrier thinking that there was going to be another upset but such was not the case. At the rise of the gate the favorite was slow to get going but Jockey A. Thomas worked on him and he responded to the rider's urging catching the pacemaker, Creston Boy, a few feet from the wire, ran over him and won out with something to spare. The latter was primed for a killing and played from 15 down to 8 to 1. The layers would have gotten a good whollop had the chestnut horse made good. Swagelator got the show easily from that good old has-been, Burleigh. The latter was cut off soon after the start and had to make up a world of ground to catch up with the parade and was only beaten a length for third money.

The fifth race looked a little "screwy" using a slang expression. The defeat of Cadichon to win the race was the defeat of Cadichon. After Kadichon was declared out of the race it looked easy for Cadichon to win the race as he had been the favorite for a long time. He was played down from 7 to 5 to 4 to 3. Well to make a long story short short Cadichon won the race. He was the only one of the box and did not get to running until it was too late in the meantime. Cadichon was a college team, and the game is expected to be a close one.

Owner and Trainer Jack Frere who has been trying to win a bracket with Dr. Downie since his arrival from Duane, was successful yesterday. Dr. Downie was one of the twelve that faced the starter in the fifth race. Jockey A. Williams who made the eight o'clock start, was the only one to make the start. He was the only one to make the start.

Lena Lech, which was nicely rated by Jockey Mentry, won the closing race in a common canter. She came from behind the leaders to the stretch and she made her run. She was the only one to make the start. He was the only one to make the start.

TRANSVAAL LEAGUE
Fruitt's will play Elmhurst on the latter's grounds Sunday afternoon. Ba-terrie, Lussell and Rogers will play on Jones. San Leandro will play at Alameda on Sunday. At the same time, Batteries W. Hall and Peterson Crossways and King.

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DR. HALL'S REINVIGORATOR stops all loose in 24 hours. You will feel an improvement from the first dose. It has no such confidence in our treatment that we could safely offer FIVE HUNDRED reward for any case of Gonorrhea, Syphilis, or any other venereal disease. It is a cure for all venereal diseases. It is a cure for all venereal diseases.

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BEAVERS TAKE RAGGED GAME FROM THE OAKS

Invaders Repeat Their Usual Whirlwind Finish and Win Out

INVADERS BAT OUT ANOTHER WIN IN NINTH

Hackett's Crew Perform Usual Stunt of Snatching Victory From Defeat.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS			
(State League)	Won	Lost	Pct.
Oakland	4	4	.500
San Jose	7	5	.583
Stockton	7	5	.583
Sacramento	6	6	.500
San Francisco	5	6	.455
Fresno	3	9	.250

In a rattling finish which started in the last of the ninth with two men down the Oakland Invaders snatched victory from defeat yesterday afternoon and sent the San Jose Staters down after they apparently had the game won. In fact the whole action of the afternoon was crowded into the last two innings for up to that time the game had gone along without a run. In the first of the eighth the invaders brought one across and San Jose retaliated in the first of the ninth with two. Then came the Oakland rally—three clean hits and it was all over. Final score 3 to 2.

It was a pitchers' battle and up to the eighth the honors were evenly divided. Then Stater of San Jose weakened and the rest of the time it was all Henderson.

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Menor	4	0	0	4	1	0
C. Keller	4	0	0	4	1	0
Peters	4	0	0	6	0	0
Foran	4	0	0	6	0	0
Schuler	4	0	0	6	0	0
Russell	4	0	0	4	0	0
Robinson	4	0	0	4	0	0
Ruggs	4	0	0	2	3	0
Kuttridge	4	0	0	2	3	0
Yates	4	0	0	2	3	0
Baldwin	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	0	0	32	10	0

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Smith	4	0	1	1	2	0
C. Keller	4	0	1	1	2	0
Garibaldi	4	0	1	1	2	0
Foran	4	0	1	1	2	0
Streib	4	0	1	1	2	0
McKinnon	4	0	1	1	2	0
Henderson	4	0	1	1	2	0
Deppa	4	0	1	1	2	0
Streib	4	0	1	1	2	0
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Two out when winning run was made.
Hackett's crew performed usual stunt of snatching victory from defeat.

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BALK LINE GAME IS NOT UP TO STANDARD

Play in Championship Tourney Falls Far Short of Last Year.

(By R. B. BRUNNER)

The past two weeks have seen the playing of the national amateur balt line championship for the national trophies. The tourney was played at the Hamilton Club in Brooklyn, N. Y., and the play indicates a decline in the standard of amateur play as set by the abilities of Demarest and Wright.

The games that were won by the two mentioned with averages around 16 and 20 are in this tournament, being won with averages of 10 to 15. This marks a decline of about 70 per cent in the play. The tournament average for last year's affair was in the neighborhood of 12. The winning average was Wright's—16.4—and a grand average of 15 and a fraction. This year's will be about 7. Also the players in last year's affair represented long tournamental experience and made much harder play.

The entries this year are Poggenburg, Brown, Conklin, Douglas, Uffenheimer, Mayer and Gardner. Of these Uffenheimer, Douglas and Brown are new. The others are the sometime winners of previous affairs. The decline in the play is a disappointment from the mere fact alone that once a standard is set it should be maintained.

The three-cushion champion, Hutton, will play the two for the trophy in the final. The winner will be played by Hutton and the winner of this last match will in turn meet John Daly. Appropos of three-cushion billiards and its championship let it be said that it is no particular matter in the hall of billiards. The game itself grew from the needs of the disappointed balt line player who came to the realization that balt line billiards possessed features which could never reconcile himself to. He was forced to find a game that combined a skill with an extreme sociability and the result is the three-cushion game. In a sense the three-cushioner is the mainstay of billiards. But a great deal of the play of billiards is lost when the play becomes general aim. In some sections to the exclusion of the match greater game balt line.

Not that in its utter refinement three-cushion does not possess charm in addition to the skill necessary to carry it to that point. It does make a beautiful game when played well—but it can never be played well enough to make it par with balt line. There is nothing particularly subtle about the game. No plan is required to play it. The difficulty of the moment solved the play is for that moment mastered. There is nothing in front of you but the stick and the ball. The play is for the successive counts no brain work of a high order is required and for these reasons it falls far short of what a billiard game should be. And it is for this purpose—it is the means of recreation for many who would otherwise not play billiards.

The local pool tourney at the Oakland pool parlor was all probability a disappointment and a loutish fighting it out for first money. At this writing their score is even while the closest to them is 1-0. These three players have played good solid pool in all of their games. The other players played good and had according to their own view on the start of their own games lost it. The picture that will be of great benefit in future tournaments.

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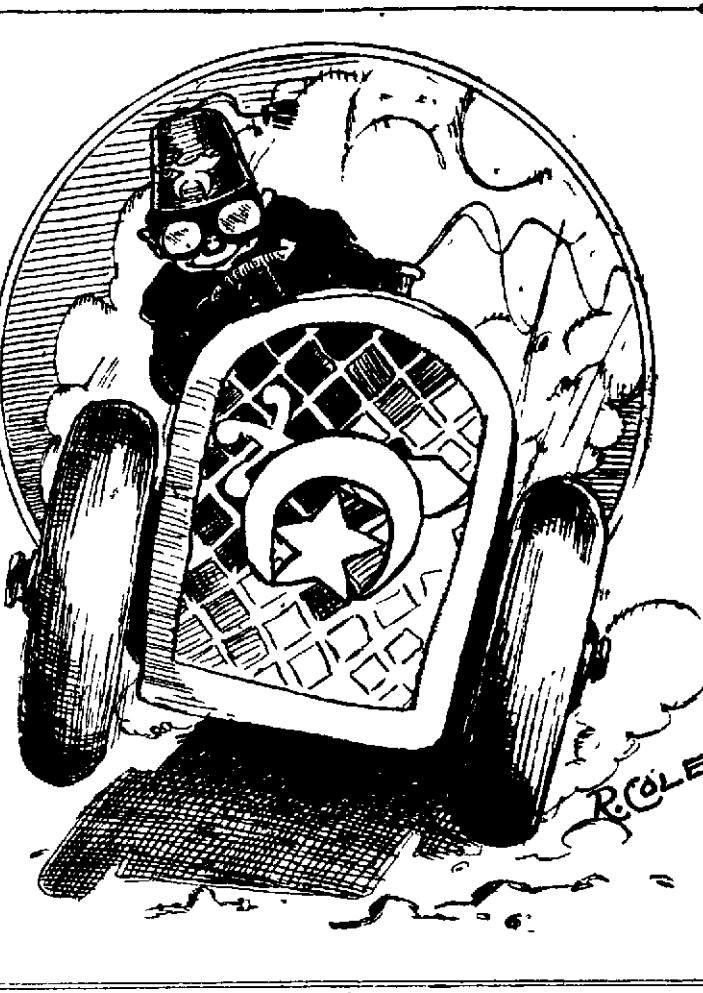
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Confession Time

Miss Aileen Doe's confession tea was not hard to swallow, for every one furnished that the pouring of the Cokes would spill out the expected news of engagement to Paul Johnson. The dining plane have not yet matured, that of course, Miss Laura Doe will have her sister's treasure of being as yet unmarried. Miss Marguerite Doe, who is about last winter, is a cousin bride-elect. Mrs. Alben Green (Doe-) is simply a cousin.—News Letter

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MYSTERY SHROUDS DEATH OF WELL-DRESSED WOMAN

GIVE US MORE BABIES, SAYS ROOSEVELT IN PARIS

Former President Addresses Distinguished Gathering of Frenchmen.

HE THINKS CHILDREN ESSENTIAL FOR FUTURE

Spends Day in Old Latin Quarter and Attends Academy Session.

PARIS, April 23.—Theodore Roosevelt, former President of the United States, delivered his eagerly awaited lecture on "Citizenship in a Republic" in the Sorbonne today. His audience was composed of all of the members of the French Cabinet, students selected from the University of Paris, and many distinguished guests, by whom the occasion was regarded as the most important feature of the distinguished American's visit to France.

That the former President is as ardent an advocate of anti-race suicide today as he was several years ago was evidenced in his speech this afternoon, when he laid considerable stress upon the duty of every man and woman to do his and her share to continue the increase of the races. He told his hearers it is the duty of every man and woman to become fathers and mothers of healthy children. He rated it as one of the most essential things in the world.

SCORES FEARFUL ONES.

The Colonel roundly scored those who chose willful sterility because of a fear to assume the responsibility, pain and risk in bringing children into the world. He characterized such persons as detractors to any nation. His remarks on this subject made a profound impression on his hearers. Mr. Roosevelt spent the day in the old Latin quarter, across the Seine, which for centuries has been one of the intellectual centers of the world. At 1 o'clock this afternoon in his capacity as a foreign member of the French Institute, he attended the annual session of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences in the conference hall of the old Lazarin Palace, which is now the home of the institute.

MEETING OF THREE ACADEMIES.

This room was selected instead of the smaller room in which the "Forty Immortals" met in order to permit the public to enter, and because it is the usual meeting place of three of the academies—the Academy of Fine Arts, the Academy of Inscriptions and Literature, and the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences. Although the green breasted uniform of an academicien, he appeared today in his familiar frock coat dress. At 2:30 o'clock he delivered his lecture in the grand amphitheater of the Sorbonne, where he was most cordially received. His remarks were followed with intense interest.

INTRODUCTION INFORMAL.

According to the traditional custom of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences, Theodore Roosevelt entered without formal presentation. Emile Boutroux, who presided after the customary routine business had been concluded, addressed the audience.

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FIND DYNAMITE DISCARDED BY BANDITS ON STEAMER

Sheriff Veale Thinks Four Men Were Implicated in Train Robbery.

DISCREPANCIES CREEP INTO OFFICER'S THEORY

They Could Not Reach the Vessel After Holding Up the Express.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Dynamite caps and cut pieces of fuse, believed to have been discarded by the bandits who held up the China-Japan mail last Saturday night, have been found stowed away on board the Sacramento steamer Weber. Working on this information, Sheriff R. B. Veale of Contra Costa county visited the State Bureau of Identification here yesterday and following a conference with officials there declared himself confident that four or more men were implicated in the robbery of the Southern Pacific train. He believes that the two men who camped at a ranch near Martinez and stole a horse and buggy near there were part of the quartette of bandits, and he thinks it possible that the suspects now held at Oakland are the other two.

COULD NOT REACH BOAT.

Just how the bandits, if the sheriff's theory is correct, came to be aboard the steamer Weber cannot clearly be explained. The steamer stopped at Colma, where the express was being loaded, and it was there that the robbery was committed. The boat was bound for Sausalito, but it would not have been possible for the bandits to have made their way from Colma to Sausalito in time to catch the boat.

BURGLARS RETURN TO OLIVER HOUSE

Melrose eHome' Is Robbed Twice During Past Week By Bold Thieves.

MELROSE, April 23.—The home of Mrs. Robert L. Oliver, at 3080 Bellevue avenue in this place, has been robbed twice during the past week, and a watch is being kept for the burglars who are thought to live in the neighborhood, on account of the knowledge they have shown of the premises and the vicinity.

On the first occasion, late last Tuesday night, when the family was away from home, the burglars entered by a rear window of the basement and took a quantity of garden implements and canned fruit that was stored under the house.

Late Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Oliver started on a shopping tour and for the first time in years wore a set of valuable diamonds and other jewels which she feared to leave in the house on account of the occurrence of the previous day. When she returned a few hours later the house had been ransacked although nothing was taken by the thieves. It is thought that it was their intention to make away with the jewelry, worth several hundreds of dollars, and that being disappointed in this, they hesitated to take anything of small value that would be liable to lead to their arrest.

COMET VISIBLE TO UNAIDED EYE EVERY MORNING

Prof. Burkhalter Has Seen It for the Last Three Days.

TELLS PEOPLE TO WAIT UNTIL FIRST OF MONTH

Says It Looks Like Big Fuzzy Star—Growing Much Brighter.

Halley's comet, with the appearance of a big fuzzy star, was seen with the naked eye for the last three mornings by Professor Charles Burkhalter of Chabot observatory of this city. He first sighted the celestial visitor with the telescope April 14 and has seen it every morning since with the instrument except two, when the hazy condition of the atmosphere prevented. The tail, which can at present be seen for one degree in length, was first observed on the morning of April 17th.

Professor Burkhalter advises citizens not to strain their eyes in an attempt to locate the comet at the present time, but to wait until about 3:15 on the morning of May 4th. The light of the full moon at present makes its presence scarcely discernible with the naked eye.

From the present to May 4th the light of the moon will grow less while the brilliancy of the comet will increase. By the date named the great visitor may be seen without difficulty. By May 7th the moon situation will be peculiarly favorable for sky-gazing in the early hours of the morning.

THEN THE MOON VANISHES.

By that time the moon will rise after such strong daylight that it will no longer interfere with the view of the comet. By May 8th the moon will rise after the sun and need no longer be considered.

There will be a new moon at that time and it will not be before the comet rises until the comet changes from a morning to an evening object, which will be on the evening of May 18th.

After the moon has reached the full it will be in the way only two or three evenings after the comet changes to the evening sky.

Although the comet rises tall up, sometimes it is not visible until after the comet itself rises, due largely to the presence of haze in the atmosphere. Professor Burkhalter says that before May 10th the tail of the comet will no doubt be visible first.

In view of the fact that Oakland people, as well as those of all sections, are deeply interested in the movement of the new sky visitor, Professor Burkhalter is pleased to make public all of the facts in his possession bearing on the subject.

BEAUTIFULLY SYMMETRICAL.

At present Halley's comet is beautifully symmetrical and as it speeds on its way it will constantly become more attractive to those who are so closely observing its movements.

Many students enrolled in the department of astronomy at the University of California are at present making a study of the comet. A class headed by F. W. Meyer, an instructor in the department, took up the study this morning. They experienced little difficulty in locating the object with the naked eye. It appears in the sky to the left of Venus, about twenty-five diameters of the sun.

Professor See of the Mare Island observatory today. He said the comet was plainly visible at Mare Island at 4 o'clock this morning. Professor See says that he and Captain Dodd of the navy observed it through the telescope and that he got an excellent drawing of it.

Berkeley Professor Will Be Inspector
SACRAMENTO, April 23.—Professor M. Richter of Berkeley, who is connected with the University of California, was appointed inspector yesterday by the supervisor. Richter is to serve without pay until July and after that he will be paid \$500 a year by the county.

HEN HAS FEATURES OF MAN; MUST EAT FROM HUMAN HAND

CHICAGO, April 23.—Guests and employees of a downtown hotel last night were interested in a white hen that has features of a human being—a clearly defined nose and lips in place of the beak and mouth of a chicken, and feet like knobs instead of claws.

"The chicken is nine months old," said Michael Singer, one of the hotel porters, who owns the fowl, "and is compelled to eat from the hand of a person, being unable to pick food like other chickens. It cannot scratch and does not peck, nor make other noises like a chicken. It has laid two eggs, both of which were flat on one side and of extraordinary size."

BODY OF FATHER FALLS INTO ARMS

Door of Kitchen Is Opened by Daughter and Corpse Drops on Her.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Miss Olivia King, the daughter of August H. King of 607 Waller street, met with a terrible experience last night when searching the house for her father. She opened the door of the buffet kitchen, receiving his dead body in her arms as it fell forward from a cramped position in the small compartment.

The family had been out for the evening, and on returning Miss King was much surprised at not finding her father. She thought for a moment that he might be out and would return, but as time went on she decided to look, and went into the rear of the house she designated the odor of gas. As she opened the door of the little kitchen she found her father lifeless. Whether he had lighted the gas stove and failed to notice whether the flame had caught or not, or whether he deliberately closed the windows and turned on the deadly gas, will never be known.

As soon as she grasped the situation the young woman ran for aid and Thomas Conagan, a fireman, came to her assistance and worked over King for some time endeavoring to resuscitate him. On the arrival of Dr. Veale, however, he was pronounced dead. The deceased was a merchant with an office at 77 Third street. He leaves a widow, three daughters and three sons.

PRINCE TAO VISITS MILITARY POSTS

General Barry Conducts Chinese War Lord Through the Presidio.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Under the guidance of General Thomas H. Barry, commander of the Department of California, Prince Tiao, war minister of China and uncle of the Emperor of that country, inspected the local military posts today.

At the Presidio, the head of the Chinese army was received with full military honors. After the formal salutes the Prince and his party, under escort of a troop of cavalry, proceeded in automobiles through the Presidio to Fort Scott and returning, visited the quarters of the commanding officer at Fort Mason. Dismissing the military escort, the party reentered the automobiles and visited Golden Gate Park.

Shortly afterward Prince Tiao and his retinue boarded a special train at the special train which was routed through to Chicago. The prince was shown the big guns which guard the Golden Gate by Col. John H. Lundeen, commander of the Presidio. He evinced the liveliest interest in the artillery drill which he witnessed.

HYDE PLEASED WITH TURN EVIDENCE TAKES

Testimony of Nurse Weakened by Attorneys on Cross Examination.

DID NOT SEE GIRL EAT ANY OF CANDY

Admits She Made Chart From Memory and Did Not Keep Records.

KANSAS CITY, April 23.—Dr. Hyde's attorneys were well pleased with the development in the cross-examination of Miss Anna Houlihan, a nurse, which took place this morning.

Miss Houlihan admitted she did not see Dr. Hyde administer a capsule to Chrisman Swope on December 5, the day the patient had his first convulsion. Practically all of the entries in the chart on which she kept records of Chrisman Swope's condition were made at her convenience from memory, she said. Today, however, she was unable to recall many facts about the patient's illness without referring to her chart. She also said she left her records at the Swope house when she left in December and did not see them again until she was called before the grand jury during March.

ONLY HALF SESSION.

Owing to attorneys in the Swope murder case having made arrangements to take another deposition in Dr. Hyde's libel suit this afternoon there was only a morning session of court today.

Miss Houlihan, who occupied the witness chair the greater part of the session yesterday, took the stand again for the prosecution. Her examination was conducted by Assistant Prosecutor James A. Reed.

Reed asked the nurse but a few questions regarding the illness of Margaret Swope. Attorney Walsh then took the witness.

Mr. Walsh's first question was regarding the box of candy which Miss Houlihan testified yesterday that Dr. Hyde gave to Stella Swope just seven days before the young woman was stricken with typhoid.

"Did you see Dr. Hyde give Stella this candy?" asked Mr. Walsh.

"Yes, sir," she replied.

"Did you see her eat any of the candy?"

"I did not."

Miss Houlihan said she could not recall the size of the box nor could she say whether Dr. Hyde and his wife ate candy at the house on the day the box is said to have been presented to Stella Swope.

Using a plot of the second floor of the Swope house, drawn by Dr. Hyde, Mr. Walsh developed that three persons were ill on that floor and that the plumbing in the house had been torn out.

WANTS COLLECTOR OUSTED ON ISLAND

Special Agent Alleges Technical Violations of Law in Honolulu.

HONOLULU, April 23.—Alleging technical violations of law, Special Agent W. B. Thomas of the Internal Revenue service, has made a report to Washington in which the removal from office of Collector of Internal Revenue W. F. Drake of Hawaii, is recommended.

The report follows an investigation of the affairs of the collector's office by Attorney A. L. C. Atkinson, whose recommendation to Washington was contrary to that of Thomas and no action will be taken by the department until the full record is received.

GOUGHAM BOWS IN TRIBUTE TO MARK TWAIN

Simple Services Held in Church Crowded by Friends and Admirers.

BODY IS EN ROUTE TO ELMIRA FOR BURIAL

Two Life-long Friends Pronounce Words of Eulogy Over Dead Author.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Services as simple as his wholesome life attended the tributes paid here today to Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain).

New York City was but a stopping place in the dead author's journey, as his body was brought here from his home at Redding, Conn., where he died, to be taken to Elmira, N. Y., for burial. But it was here that the chief expression was to be found of the loving regard in which he was held by the American people.

The Brick Presbyterian Church at Fifth avenue and Thirty-seventh street was selected for the services this afternoon. Two friends of Clemens were chosen to speak eulogies. They were the Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, professor of English literature at Princeton University, and Dr. Joseph H. Twitcheell of Hartford, which for seventeen years was the author's home.

CHURCH WAS CROWDED.

Although the Brick Church seats 1200 persons it was by no means large enough to contain all who desired to see for the last time the face of Mark Twain. Four hundred cards of invitation were issued, with the understanding that when these had been presented the doors would be open to the general public. After the services it was announced the opportunity would be given for those outside to enter the church and file past the plain mahogany coffin.

In keeping with the known sentiments of Mr. Clemens the program included no organ selections, brief prayers and the vocal music and no pall-bearers. Two organ selections, brief prayers and the vocal music of eulogy constituted the service. Attending the services were representatives from the Lotus, the Authors and the Players' clubs, prominent publishers and editors, eminent members of the bench and bar and literary men and women of note.

SLAYER OF GIRL IS FOUND GUILTY

18-Year-Old Albert Wolter Hears Death Premonition Without a Word.

NEW YORK, April 23.—"Guilty—guilty of murder in the first degree!" This was the verdict brought in by the jury in the Wolter murder case, and as the words of Foreman William V. Knys cut through the dead silence of the packed court room Albert Wolter, the 18-year-old boy who strangled and burned little Ruth Wheeler, twenty-eight days ago, heard them without the twitching of a muscle.

There has been no defense worthy the name. Wolter's one witness had been absolutely discredited and his own appearance on the stand went for nothing except to show the iron nerve of the stolid young German. His defense rested on his unsupported word and the State's attorney was willing to allow him to tell his own story without making any determined effort to break him down while upon the stand.

Attorney Scott asked that he might "talk with his boy," as he phrased it. He was given until Wednesday morning, when Wolter will appear for sentencing.

It is evident, therefore, that the young woman has been in Jacksonville not so very long ago, and she may be

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BODY IS FOUND FLOATING IN BAY; POLICE PUZZLED

No Marks on Clothing to Show Who She Was or Where From.

HAD BEEN IN WATER ONLY COUPLE OF HOURS

Human Bones Found Buried in Vacant Lot By Excavators.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Two mysterious finds—one the body of a carefully-dressed woman, recovered from the waters of the bay, and the other a cluster of about ten bones in a vacant lot being excavated for building purposes—started investigations by the local police department bright and early this morning.

There has been no report of a missing woman received by the complaint department today, and thus far the identity of the woman, who apparently sought death in the waters of the bay, remains unknown.

That she was accustomed to nice things and was in the habit of spending considerable money upon her wearing apparel seemed likely from her clothing, and it was also evident that she was not desirous of her identity being established, as no note of explanation of her deed was found on her person.

ALL ACCOUNTED FOR.

The records of the local department were carefully gone over this morning to see if any of those recently reported missing fitted the description, but save for a girl of seventeen, who is wanted at the juvenile home, all of those women who have disappeared since April 1 have been accounted for.

The body had apparently been in the water less than two hours, and it was thought likely she jumped overboard from one of the nearby docks. She was not observed by anyone, however, and it was not until Edward Reynolds, watchman for the Marine exchange, saw something peculiar drifting near that the corpse was found. Reynolds rowed out in a boat and towed it to the land.

DESCRIPTION OF WOMAN.

When he reached the body a black automobile cap floated away and he was unable to reach it. The woman, whom the police are making every effort to identify, may have met her death as the result of some tragic episode, and some startling developments may follow.

The only clue to her name is the initial "E" worn on a silver ring. She was five feet and five inches tall, of medium build, and apparently about forty years old. She had dark hair, gray eyes, her face was round and full, and her complexion light. Her nose was straight, her chin round, and her teeth somewhat decayed.

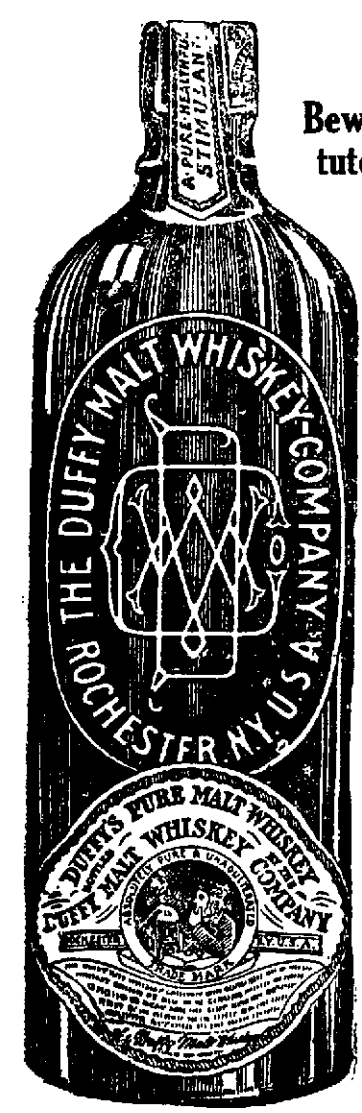
HOW SHE WAS DRESSED.

She was attired in a blue tailored-made suit, with a light shirtwaist and black laced shoes, but no mark indicating where the suit had been bought could be found, but one of the shoes bore the name of "Bacon's Shoes, Riverside, Cal." It had been worn for some time, the heel having been cracked repeatedly. The shoes are of red kid with calf uppers, and patent leather toes.

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Substitutes Are Dangerous



Beware of Imitations, Substitutes and "just as good as."

Unscrupulous dealers, mindful only of their profit and caring nothing for the health of their patrons, are offering for sale low grade mixtures, which they tell you are "as good as Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey."

Some go so far as to try to make you believe it is Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. These cheap concoctions are foisted on the people with the intent to deceive.

When a remedy has been before the public for more than half a century, has been prescribed and used by the best doctors and in prominent hospitals, and has carried the blessing of health into so many thousands of homes—as Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has, imitations are bound to arise. They may imitate the bottle and label only—no one can imitate the contents.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has been used with remarkable results in the treatment of Consumption, Pneumonia, Grip, Coughs, Colds, Malaria, Fevers, Stomach Troubles and all wasting and diseased conditions.

It is sold in sealed bottles only. The Old Chemist's Head is on the label, and over the cork is an engraved seal. Be certain the seal is unbroken. Sold by druggists, grocers, dealers, or direct, \$1.00 a large bottle.

Write Medical Department, The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for free advice and valuable medical booklet containing testimonials and common sense rules for health.

CLARK AND HILL TO ENTER STATE

Railroad Men Plan Railway Invasion of California and the Northwest.

CHICAGO, April 23.—William A. Clark, former United States Senator from Montana, and James J. Hill are said to have joined hands with a view to a combined railroad invasion of Washington, Idaho, Montana and California, according to an article in the Record-Herald today.

It is stated that a considerable portion of the Clark millions will be invested during the next few years in railroad ventures in the northwest, which will be planned with a view to occupation of all territory that promises to become tonnage producing.

Just now Senator Clark is said to be interested with Mr. Hill in the construction of the Gilmore and Pittsburg railroad and in the North Coast line, which Robert Strathorn of Spokane is promoting. It has but recently become known that Mr. Clark is also interested in the Gilmore road, the route of which will be along the Salmon River canyon, through Lewiston, Idaho.

It is now rumored that the Gilmore and Pittsburg road may connect with the North Coast line through a traffic deal entered into with the Hill interests. It is understood Clark has become interested in the North Coast road to the extent of furnishing \$15,000,000, which is to be used in securing terminals in the largest northwestern cities.

Husband Disappears; Wife Near Insanity

Police Take Up Search for Pottery Worker Who Drops Out of Sight.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The police today were asked to aid in the search for John Mackey, a pottery worker, whose wife is on the verge of a nervous breakdown and perhaps insanity, at Sacramento, as the result of his disappearance.

A week ago today, on receiving his salary, amounting to \$71 and drawing it from the Oak Park Bank, he dropped completely out of sight. No one has been heard of him and his wife and four children are at their home, 2116 Sixth avenue, anxiously awaiting his return.

Good Cheer Wins Friends

There is good cheer and comfort in a saucer of

Post Toasties

with cream and sugar.

The crisp, appetizing fluffy bits have a fascinating "toasty" flavor that puts one in a happy mood, and

"The Memory Lingers"

Ask Grocer

Postum Cereal Company Ltd. Battle Creek, Mich.

GOVERNMENT AFTER SUGAR HERE

Investigation Into Methods of Trust Extended to San Francisco.

HEARING THE RESULT OF AGENT'S REPORT

Captain William Matson Called to Testify Before the Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The Federal Government's investigation into the business methods of the sugar trust, which unearthed frauds aggregating over \$2,000,000 in short weighing raw sugar imports in the port of New York, has been extended to this city, and was started by the United States grand jury here yesterday. It will cover the operations of the Western Sugar Refining Company of New York, known as the Sugar Trust, has as its exclusive selling territory that part of the country lying west of the Missouri river.

The investigation started here is the result of a recent report made to the Treasury Department by Special Agent George E. Channing, who visited this city last fall to look up the opium smuggling traffic, and who incidentally probed the customs methods of weighing sugar imports. Some discrepancies in weights were said to have been discovered in five of the cases, but the Western Sugar Refinery promptly covered them by paying the government's demands as soon as presented. Assistant Attorney General Knapp is here to aid the grand jury in the investigation.

Among those who were summoned to appear before the grand jury yesterday were Captain William Matson, Robert F. Ricketts, president of the company, and Adolph Sprengle, but Captain Matson was the only witness examined, the other two being excused for a few days. John D. Sprengle and a dozen others are represented to be slated also for examination by the grand jury.

Body of Woman TAKEN FROM BAY

Mystery Surrounds Death of Well Dressed Person Early This Morning.

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A resident of that place. A second small plain ring bearing no monogram or initial of any kind was also found.

FIND HUMAN BONES.

What was apparently bones of a human body were uncovered in a vacant lot on Eddy street, a few feet west of Taylor, at 9:00 o'clock this morning by Fred G. Nutting of 1236 Jackson street, employed by the San Francisco Debris company, excavating for a hotel building to be erected there.

With the bones were found a sole, apparently of a man's shoe, and a portion of what seemed to be an Indian moccasins. One large thigh bone would appear to be unmistakably that of a male human. A hip bone and several smaller bones were included in the find. They were discovered but five feet below the surface, and it is not believed that they could have been there ever since the earthquake and fire without having previously been found by the repeated searching through the ruins.

The coroner's office was notified, and the autopsy surgeon will make a careful examination to determine whether the bones are those of a human being and whether they are those of a man or woman.

TIM SULLIVAN IS OUT FOR JONSON

Such Is Gossip of Politicians Today—Lieut.-Gov. Porter Is Strong for Anderson.

Not the least of the many rumors political in vogue today is the one that "Tim Sullivan was going to support Hiram Johnson for governor. In other words, that while he was for the league of Lincoln-Roosevelts, he was not with them in commencing on the matter this morning the Chronicle says: "The defection of Sullivan from the machine, the snuff of the organization men to the contrary notwithstanding, is a severe blow to Anderson in San Francisco. Sullivan has a strong personal following that is worth while. He has demonstrated that on both sides of the Republican national fence."

PORTER FOR ANDERSON.

Lieutenant Governor Warren Porter, who was in San Francisco yesterday representing Governor Gillett in connection with the welcome to the Chinese notable, is a strong election because for Alden Anderson, in talking with friends here very frankly said, "I am doing politics for Anderson every day and the situation is beginning to look better. Anderson is growing on the people and the boys are lining up for him in good shape."

Heavy Snow Storm Seizes Windy City

CHICAGO, April 23.—Chicago has been in the grasp of a heavy snow and violent wind storm for several hours today and there are signs of its abating. The snow followed one of the heaviest rainfalls of the year yesterday.

One Doctor

Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles. Doctors have prescribed it for 70 years. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Women in the News Today :: SHEEP SAVE 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL FROM BECOMING A HOPELESS IMBECILE

Serum Restores Senses to Katie Faringa. Suffragists Amuse Themselves With Cards—May Yohe to Be in Spotlight

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 23.—If all the sheep in the world were to die suddenly, physicians say, 15-year-old Katie Faringa of this city would become a hopeless imbecile. When Katie was 13 years old neighbors complained to the authorities that she was being kept tied up in a sort of cellar. The child and her parents were brought into the juvenile court. The parents said Katie was not "right."

This the doctors discovered to be correct. Katie had the mentality of a two-year-old, they said, and was as small as a child of that age. The physicians discovered that the thyroid gland in Katie's neck was not normally developed. They decided to experiment.

The injection of a serum from the thyroid gland of a sheep was tried. Immediately Katie began to grow brighter and several inches were added to her stature. But she is dependent upon the serum.

This is the reason that now, when Katie goes out into the sunshine with the gladness of a normally mental child, she sends up a little prayer of gratitude for the sheep in the meadows.

SUFFRAGISTS SAY PLAY CARDS.

NEW YORK, April 23.—"Play cards" is a new motto of the New York State Woman Suffrage Association. The cards, which are expected to play an important part in the organization's summer campaign, are played like the old-time game of "authors."

They were devised by one of the association's presidents. As in authors, the cards are arranged in groups entitled "doubtful the vote," "woman suffrage and the home," "saloon versus family," "tax cardinals," etc.

What does Cardinal Gibbons say of equal suffrage? The answer is: "He says it would be the death blow of domestic life and happiness."

But then another card comes back with the question: "What does Cardinal Moran of Australia say?" and the answer is: "He says that the woman who thinks she would make herself unwomanly by voting is a silly creature."

MAY YOHE IS COMING BACK.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 23.—May Yohe is going back to the stage. This she reluctantly admits. Today in Oregon City, she will appear before Judge J. U. Campbell to tell why she should have a divorce from Putnam Bradley Strong, against whom she filed a complaint alleging desertion several weeks ago. The former actress appeared reluctant to talk about it.

"Let the dead past bury its dead," she said. "Just give me a chance. I have been living quietly here, haven't I? Then let me rest. Let me go my way quietly and in peace. Let me live in the future and not in the past, for my dear old mother's sake and mine."

"Of course, I'm going back on the stage. I am rehearsing now. But I do not know what my plans will be. After tomorrow I hope I will be May Yohe again. I am divorcing Captain Strong; he is not divorcing me."

MOTHER BEHEADS LITTLE CHILD.

NEWBURG, Ore., April 23.—Suffering from an attack of dementia, Mrs. F. E. Rollins of this place, yesterday killed her two-year-old daughter by striking the little one several blows over the head with an axe. The demented woman was restrained from injuring her other child by her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Rollins came here about a year ago from Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Rollins had been engaged in the jewelry business. The woman was taken into custody by the authorities and an examination as to her sanity will be made.

MILLIONAIRE'S DAUGHTER BURNED.

GREENFIELD HILL, Conn., April 23.—Miss Frances Robinson, daughter of John K. Robinson, head of the Diamond Match Company, and Hubert Goodman, coachman for the family, were seriously burned last night by the explosion of gas in the carbine house at the Robinson home here. Both will probably recover.

TILDENS MARRIED FOR SIXTY YEARS

Niles Couple Celebrate Anniversary and Friends Tender Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon J. Tilden of Niles celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage April 18 with a dinner party at their home and were later in the evening tendered a reception in I. O. O. F. hall at Niles.

At the dinner were seated the following members of the Tilden family: Major Charles L. Tilden and wife, their son Charles Lee Tilden, Miss Marian Mitchell of Alameda, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Payson of Berkeley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane of Niles.

The reception at I. O. O. F. hall was arranged by the children, the hours being from 2 to 5 o'clock. A feature of the afternoon was the wedding march led by the aged couple's grandson, Charles Lee Tilden, and Miss Mitchell. Next came Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Tilden, then the venerable bride and groom.

FALLING HAIR

You Run No Risk When You Use This Remedy.

While many people in their prime doubt the assertion that "the hairs of our head are numbered," yet there is today many a man and woman fast reaching the point where this statement is literally brought home to them. If you suffer from irritation of the scalp, and from dandruff, or if your hair is falling out, do not wait until you reach the point where you can actually count how many hairs are left on your head.

Most cases of baldness are caused because the roots of the hair proper nutrition. In such cases there is a microbe which bores through the scalp along the line of the hair into the root and when it lodges there it begins to destroy the fatty matter around the hair roots. When the scalp and hair roots are thus diseased and healthy, it is impossible for these microbes to get in their deadly work.

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POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., April 23.—As a result of an investigation of the affairs of the Dutchess Fire Insurance Company of this city by State Superintendent Hotchkiss and his examiners, the superintendent tonight recommended the retirement of Louis H. Vail as president and director of the company.

The Dutchess Insurance Company of this city went out of business soon after the San Francisco fire in 1906, and was followed by the organization of the Dutchess Fire Insurance Company.

Among the charges made against the directors of the old company is that certain of them bought the claims in an amount below their face value, reaped a profit of \$30,000 and have not accounted for the money.

Thomas Pike Takes Wife as a Surprise

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The cult of perpetual celibacy has lost a member supposed to be in good standing. In the marriage of Thomas H. Pike, one of the entertaining Pike brothers, and a member of the Family Club of this city. The ceremony which made him a benedict took place at Coalinga on Wednesday last, when at high noon he was quietly married to Miss Bess Taylor, a belle of that place. The only witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Guiberson, the latter being a sister of the bride. The couple will settle in that place after May 1. Pike is identified in the oil industry of this State and is widely known.

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NEW FIELDS ARE EXPLOITED FOR OIL AND BIG BOOM IS ON IN THE OLD SECTIONS

**FIFTY-SEVEN WELL
IS NOW DOWN
1500 FEET**

Formation in Blue Shale--Pacific States Is Attracting Attention.

COALINGA, April 23.—The Fifty-seven Oil Company on 12, 21-11, has No. 1 well about 1500 feet deep in 10-inch casing and the formation is a blue shale. The water will be shut off at 1500 feet and it is expected to strike the oil sand at less than 1700 feet.

The Pacific States, which is attracting much attention, will be put on the pump this evening and again tested. A Parker pump has been put in in the hope of obtaining better results.

The Cosmo Oil Company started drilling again and intend to push the work on its well to completion. The company is composed of men who are hustlers and we look for a well in the near future. This well is located in the Devil's Den field.

Spinks Crude Oil Company has its well No. 1 down 500 feet while No. 4 is down 200. Good time is being made on these wells.

Six Acres Oil Company is down 1000 feet in 12 1-2 inch casing with everything going nicely. Pacific States Petroleum Company's well No. 1 has sanded up again and is being bailed out. There is a very heavy gas pressure and the prospects look extremely good.

REBUILDING RIG.

Silver Tip Oil Company is building its rig over its well No. 2, which burned down the other day.

Empire Oil Company has its well No. 2 down 900 feet in its 12 1-2 inch casing. No. 2 well is down 600 feet in 12 1-2 inch casing.

Coalinga Hub Oil Company has its well No. 2 down 2850 feet in 8 5-8 inch casing. It is in a white formation at the present time that looks very similar to that struck in the Lucille No. 1.

Republic Oil Company has its well No. 1 down 600 feet in 12 1-2 inch casing. Coalinga Royal Oil Company is down 600 feet in its well No. 1. It is carrying the 12 1-2 inch casing.

READY TO DRILL.

Coalinga Monterey Oil Company on the northwest quarter of 4-20-15, has its rig up and is ready to commence drilling. This is the quarter that was jumped some time ago by local parties.

Union Oil Company has a well down 300 feet in 17-inch stovepipe casing on the same quarter.

Union Oil Company has its derrick up on the southeast quarter of 4-20-15, and is rigging up. The old Claremont well on the same quarter is being put in.

**OAKLAND MEN ARE
HOPEFUL OF GETTING
GUSHER IN MIDWAY**

A. J. Snyder, president of the Midway Premier Oil Company, is in hourly anticipation of receiving the news that the first of the two wells being drilled by his company have gone into the oil sands. The drill is now down 1100 feet and has passed through the first sands. The company adjoins the famous Santa Fe gusher which was brought in at a depth of 1400 feet and the 30,000-barrel a day May spouter which was driven 2600 feet. The property controlled consists of 40 acres in section 5, township 32 south, range 23 east M. D. B. and M.

The Midway Premier is principally an Oakland venture and its directors are the following: A. J. Snyder, Frank N. Smith, Flinoud, Spelacy and Rufus G. Smith, all of this city. Others interested in it are W. B. Beasley, A. C. Tappan, John McLeod and Fred V. Gordon of Los Angeles and T. M. Young of Bakersfield. The secretary is Harry W. Thomas, formerly secretary of the Board of Public Works in this city.

**De Luxe Oil Well
Doing 300 Every Day**

COALINGA, April 23.—DeLuxe Oil Company has its well No. 1 doing about 300 barrels per day. Well No. 2 is down 2350 feet in its 10-inch casing. One fact that should be noted about well No. 1 is that it was drilled in with oil, a process that is necessarily very much lower but that will prove without a doubt if there is water in or between the sands which are generally advocated by some of the operators in that section. The well was drilled through the light sand and into the heavy sand 35 feet without striking a particle of water. This goes to show that the water must be carried down with the pipe or that the heavy sand has been drilled through, thus letting in the water from below.

The pipe will be loosened up and the water will be cemented off.

Consolidated Oil Company of Coalinga is putting in its 6 5-8 inch casing which will be carried down to the oil.

John W. Keith and W. M. Boggs have purchased 8 acres in 8-20-15 from W. H. Fenneman and will begin work at once. They already have the material on the ground for the best rig.

Coalinga Unity Oil Company has its well No. 4 down 300 feet in its 12 1-2 inch casing.

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**MANY WELLS COME IN
WITH AVERAGE FLOWS**

**List of the Prospects in the
Field and What Is Being
Done.**

SANTA PAULA, April 23.—The oil boom has struck the Ventura fields again in all its intensity.

Demands for light gravity, refining oils of the Ventura fields is proving a lode-stone to investors. Even the excitement over the gushers in Midway field has not diverted attention from this region.

Dozens of new derricks are to be seen throughout the Ventura field. According to Field Manager Grinnell of the Union Oil Company, who handles the production end for the Union in the Ventura district, about forty strings of tools are now being run in this region. In Santa Paula canyon; in the Sulphur mountain region; at Piru; in Torrey canyon; in Sespe canyon district, the greatest activity in years prevails, the largest development in Sespe canyon being in the Little Sespe.

SCORES OF NEW STRIKES.

Scores of oil strikes have been made in these fields within the past few weeks. Among them may be mentioned the Wingate, which at a depth of 800 feet has secured a 25-barrel a day well.

The Ventura Coast, operating south of Piru, struck a 25-barrel a day well at 600 feet, but C. B. Wright, who is operating this well, decided to go deeper, and has the well down now at 700 feet, although the well would pay excellently on the basis of 25 barrels per day; the Bardsdale Crude, which at 1200 feet has struck a 100-barrel a day well; the Old Petroleum Company, which has brought in a 200-barrel a day well of about 15 gravity on its well No. 3, in Santa Paula canyon; the Turner, which has brought in a sixty-barrel well; the

**VETERANS ENJOY
FROLIC IN PARK**

**Midway Visited By G. A. R.
Ferullo's Band Plays
National Airs.**

Town Park was turned over to the veterans of the Civil War yesterday, and during the long hours of the afternoon the old soldiers, who are holding their annual encampment in this city, enjoyed themselves. The electric swings, dizzy whirled, the automobile race course, ferris wheel, scenic railway, merry-go-round and all the hundred and one other play-time concessions were pressed into service for the occasion and dignity was laid aside, for a brief time at least, while they held full sway.

Accompanied by their wives and children the old war heroes entered the park in groups and couples. The pleasure resort, decorated in the national flags and banners, was ready for their coming, and during the afternoon Ferullo's band played the inspiring national airs.

Light refreshments were served in the big pavilion and guides escorted the visitors from point to point, while a voluntary committee made up of various residents of this city who offered their services acted as hosts, doing all in their power to make the day an enjoyable one.

Many of the old veterans found themselves overcome by fatigue at the conclusion of the long parade of the morning and were unable to participate, but the greater number were present and the program was voted one of the most successful of the eminently successful week.

The members of the Women's Auxiliary of the G. A. R., clad in white gowns, were there in force and assisted in receiving the veterans. Flowers were distributed freely among the old blue coats, and they left the park, each bearing an arm full of California blossoms. The day, though warm, was windless and cloudless and added much to the pleasure of the holiday.

**Hawkeye Oil People
Elect New Officers**

COALINGA, April 23.—Hawkeye Oil Company held its stockholders meeting Saturday night and elected the following officers and directors for the following year: A. P. May, president; H. R. Crozier, vice-president; H. C. Kerr, treasurer, and E. R. Walker, secretary and general manager. These four, with H. C. Wood of Pasadena, G. H. Smith of Fresno, and C. E. Holloway of Hollywood, constitute the board. The company is incorporated under the laws of California with a capitalization of \$350,000, of a par value of \$1, and will operate on the land it bought from the San Juan and Netherlands Oil Company, which is as good as there is in the west side field.

**Arbitration Board
to Settle Disputes**

A number of oil men and representatives of companies whose holdings in the Midway district have been greatly in dispute have joined in forming an arbitration board and will abide by the decisions of the board which they have created for the settlement of all disputes in regard to title.

White Star, which has brought in a 100 barrel a day well, and the Dixie National, which shows for about fifty barrels a day, at 2500 feet the Rose Company, in the Piru Forks district, has struck a well showing fifty barrels a day, while in Nigger canyon, a mile and one-half from Piru, Ventura Oil Development Company has got into light sand at 450 feet and is bringing up much high-gravity oil in the bucket, with considerable gas pressure. Manager Daniels of this company is working night and day shifts on his well No. 3, and has struck practically the same formation at 450 feet that the Colonial Oil Company, also in Nigger canyon, struck at 800 feet. This is thought to prove the upward dip of the oil sands in Nigger canyon.

THOUSANDS OF BARRELS.

In the Sulphur mountain district the Liberty Oil Company has struck oil sands and brought up a good showing in the bucket. Their well No. 2 has struck a flow of water at 250 feet, averaging 6000 barrels a day. This water has been cased off and the well will go deeper. Manager Cowell was offered a large sum for his water rights. Well No. 1 is pumping for well No. 2.

The following is a list of some of the new wells in the Ventura field:

PIRU—Camulus Development Company, on Newhall ranch, two wells. United Mining and Oil Company, at Piru, one well depth of 30 feet. Sleucom Brothers, Piru canyon, 1 well, depth 1000 feet. Colonial Oil Company, Nigger canyon, 1 well, 800 feet. Ventura Development Company, two wells—No. 1, 450 feet. No. 2, 500 feet. Wingate Oil Company, 1 well, 800 feet. Harris Oil Company, two wells in Hop-per canyon.

SESPE CANYON—Crown Oil Company, 1 well. Brownstone Oil Company, drilling on fifth well. Rock Island, ready to drill on first well. Dig Sespe, drilling wells Nos. 7 and 8.

MANY NEW COMPANIES.

TAR CREEK—Stockholders' Oil Company, drilling wells Nos. 1 and 2. Anaconda Oil Company, has rigging on well No. 1.

Brunton Brothers and their associates, building rigging.

BARDSDALE—The Montebello Oil Company is 600 feet down on its first well.

A fine well has been struck by the Bardsdale Crude on its well No. 9, which is now running an average of 100 barrels high gravity oil per day.

SANTA PAULA CANYON—Santa Paula canyon is humming. The Paula Oil Company is drilling wells Nos. 4 and 5.

Forest City National is drilling on wells Nos. 6 and 7.

The Pyramid, Hill Top, Hill Side and Fleischer Oil Companies are drilling on their No. 1 wells.

Bard Oil Company is drilling on wells Nos. 27, 28 and 29.

Capitol Crude is drilling on well No. 9.

Oil Petroleum is drilling on well No. 4 and has completed well No. 3, which is a 200 barrel per day well of 13 gravity.



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OIL NOTES

Reports from the Jewel Oil Company are to the effect that the foreman has put well No. 5 upon the beam. Foreman Johnson states that this well is good for 150 barrels per day. A demonstrative production of approximately 7000 barrels was being produced by the wells formerly drilled. This increases the production to 8000 barrels, or 25,000 barrels per month. The superintendent expects to have fourteen wells completed by July 1. W. S. Waugh is president of the company. Well No. 8 is now being drilled and is nearing completion.

The Crescens Oil Company has six wells already drilled. It is located on the famous 25 Hill, in section 25, Midway district. These wells have all been finished at a depth of about 1300 feet. Well No. 7 is now being drilled, and it is planned to go down to a depth of about 1800 feet. At this depth the management expects to reach the same sand of the Santa Fe gusher in the adjoining section. The Santa Fe well is now producing about 8000 barrels of oil per day.

The well which the Pyramid Oil Company is drilling in Ventura county has reached a depth of 1855 feet, and it is stated, will be completed within a few days. The Pyramid Company has also recently acquired some interests in the Midway district.

While pulling casing in well No. 5 of the New San Francisco Crude, the derrick gave way and was badly damaged. The Coalinga National, 8-20-15, is 2548 feet deep in 8-inch casing, and the water will be shut off in another fifty feet. The management expects to get into the oil sand at about 2625 feet.

The Coalinga Eight Oil Company, which was recently organized by J. M. Keith and W. S. Boggs of the Imperial, is hauling material for a rig on the property purchased from Carter and Metcalf, on 8-20-15.

The Eagle Creek Company's No. 3 well, on section 31-31-23 Midway, came in on last Wednesday, and flowed for an hour and a half. In that time it produced 300 barrels of oil. When the well is cleaned out it is estimated that it will produce from 2500 to 3000 barrels a day, and therefore will be entitled to be placed in the gusher class.

The well is 1552 feet deep, and drilling began on February 15. It was started with 10-inch casing and finished with 8-inch. It is only 200 feet from the Santa Fe gusher and is expected to be a great well.

dard's famous gasser. Those in charge believe that the prospects are bright for a big well, and drilling will proceed as fast as possible.

The well is on a low range about six miles north of Taft. Considerable work is being done in that locality, but none has progressed far enough to demonstrate what the result will be. Experienced oil men say that great things are to be expected, and the Standard's well tend to show that their prediction is well based. A good well there will prove the district in another direction, and will add to the promise of the Eli range lying further beyond.

**Incendiary Suspected
In San Francisco Fire**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—A fire which broke out at 2 o'clock this morning destroyed the residence of John Grady, a former fire commissioner, which had been vacated early this week. The house was located at 397 Lane street, and when the department arrived the flames had gained considerable headway. Some neighbors had the idea that the blaze was of incendiary origin, and Fire Marshal Towe is investigating.

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Once More the Political Bunco.

The organs of the so-called Lincoln-Roosevelt League appear to be incensed at the kind words spoken of President Taft by William R. Hearst and the frank approval given the administration by the editor. It dampens their elation over the Republican reverses in the recent by-elections. Their chagrin at the one and their joy over the other shows their anxiety for Republican success in the coming election.

Be not deceived. The conflict now being waged is not a contest for supremacy between two Republican factions. It is a battle to decide whether the Republican party or the Democratic party shall rule the country, whether the principles of Hamilton, Lincoln, Garfield and Roosevelt shall prevail or the doctrines of Jefferson, Calhoun and Buchanan be accepted as guiding policies for the nation; whether protection to American industry and trade shall continue or the bars thrown down to free trade and open competition with the cheap labor of Europe and the Orient.

In this struggle we find the enemies of the Republican administration and the protective policy, whether Democrats or mugwumps, masquerading as insurgents and progressives, adjuring the people in the name of former President Roosevelt to overthrow Republican ascendancy and strike down protective policies. They are all crying down with the tariff. Every attack on the tariff is an attack on the policy of protection. Every complaint they utter against the Taft administration is a Democratic complaint. The success of their designs means the success of the Democratic party and the downfall of the Republican party and the principles and policies to which it stands committed.

The charges hurled at President Taft and the Republican Congress are the same charges that were hurled at President Harrison and the Republican Congress of 1891-93. They come now from the same sources they came then. They are having the same effect now that they had then. Republican traitors assisted the Democrats to elect Grover Cleveland and a Democratic Congress. What was the result? Tariff-smashing, panic, industrial wreck, financial paralysis and universal ruin and bankruptcy.

History is repeating itself—with this difference, that the enemies of the Republican party are using the name of Theodore Roosevelt to delude and decoy. We do not believe he will permit them to do this much longer. Mr. Roosevelt has always been a strict party man. He has always been a staunch protectionist, and he has never yet given his countenance to insurrection and treachery in his own party. He believes in organization and party discipline, and he has not yet recalled the hearty endorsement he gave the present Republican leaders in Congress.

When Franklin K. Lane was a Democratic candidate for Governor he went through the State lauding Roosevelt to the skies. Because there was a good Republican President at Washington he asked that the Democrats be given control in California. He artfully appealed for Republican votes by praising the Republican President and ignoring the history and policies of the Democratic party, and declining to say a word in favor of his associates on the Democratic ticket. Was Mr. Roosevelt caught by this flattery and adulation? Nay, indeed. In the closing days of the campaign, when the success of Dr. Pardee was extremely doubtful, he requested the late Edward H. Harriman to exert all his influence in behalf of the Republican ticket in California. Mr. Harriman did so. The tide was turned and George C. Pardee was elected Governor.

Again in 1906 Theodore Bell tried the same trick with the people that Lane had essayed. He denounced the Republican party over the shoulders of President Roosevelt. He asked an endorsement for himself and his party by extravagant laudation of the Republican President. He failed as Lane failed.

At the most critical stage of the campaign Hon. Victor H. Metcalf, Mr. Roosevelt's California representative in the cabinet, issued a statement to the effect that the President desired the election of Governor Gillett and the Republican ticket. For the second time the game of political bunco was punctured and collapsed.

But for the third time it is being essayed. Once more an effort is being made to bait the Democratic trap with Roosevelt's popularity. However, the snare has been twice exposed and defeated, and the Republican masses are not likely to be again deceived by it. They are not going to endorse a pseudo Republican candidate who is in open alliance with the Democrats and who repudiates and rails at the Republican President and the Republican majority in Congress. They recognize the Democratic Indian beneath the paint, and do not fail to note that he is striking at the policies as well as the leadership of the Republican party.

The Bulletin's estimate of 70,000 prostitutes in San Francisco is probably based upon the personal experience of the editor of that sheet. He knows so few of the other kind of women that he is to be pardoned for believing them to be rare exceptions. Still his figures indicate a rather remarkable estimate of the standard of female purity prevailing in the metropolis. However, it is not three weeks since a sensational San Francisco divine announced from the pulpit that agents of civic purity had discovered no less than 20,000 courtesans in the city. His figures indicate that at least one out of every four women is a member of Mrs. Warren's profession. We don't believe it. In our opinion the preacher has scandalously defamed the womanhood of San Francisco. Nevertheless, it is shocking that statements so demoralizing and so discreditable to the inhabitants of the city should be circulated as coming from a minister of the gospel. The barroom loafer and street masher places a higher estimate on female virtue than does this divine.

So the University of Oxford, the most conservative and aristocratic of English universities, is to make John Burns (who is neither conservative nor aristocratic, neither a lawyer nor a scholar, nor even an Oxonian), a doctor of laws. This is another evidence of the rising tide of democracy in England. Burns is a mechanic, and all his life has been fighting caste, privilege and the artificial distinctions of heredity. In the beginning he fought with the police in the streets, but as he grew older and wiser he battled for human rights with his brethren in the forum of public opinion. He became a force in British politics by reason of his incorruptible honesty, his devotion to truth and his unswerving loyalty to the interests of the masses. Now the poor workman who went to Parliament in his blouse is a member of the imperial cabinet and is to be honored with the degree of L. L. D. by the oldest and most renowned of English universities. There is something fine in this recognition by the most ancient and aristocratic seat of learning of the sturdy democrat who has challenged title and privilege in their citadels. It shows that the scholarship of England knows how to honor and respect a man.

ME TOO, FROM ELBA



William Jennings Bryan is on his way from South America to New York. He has sent ahead of him a letter to the Democracy, in which he alleges that President Taft has adopted the free silver belief and pre-success for the Democrats in the approaching elections on the old issue of 16 to 1. As Mr. Bryan is bringing a collection of lambs with him, it is suggested another return from Elba with the hero of two battles aboard one of these beasts.

—ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.

Eating Goats to Fight Meat Trust

Twenty thousand pounds of goat meat is consumed in Brooklyn weekly now because of the high prices demanded for beef, lamb, mutton and pork. It is selling at 5 and 6 cents a pound lower than mutton and lamb, and no effort is being made

to violate the law by concealing its identity. Most of the goat meat is used by the poorer classes. Many of those who use it say they like it fully as well as the higher-priced meats. They also assert it is equally nourishing. Most of the goat meat

supply comes from the western meat centers, and the goats are sent here killed and dressed for the wholesale market.

Dealers in that borough say that last year scarcely any goats were sent to their market, and that now goat meat is a recognized commodity which seems to be growing in popularity in the poorest sections. It is thought, if the existing high meat prices continue the use of goat meat will spread to Manhattan and the Bronx, and thousands of persons will use that flesh as a substitute for more expensive meats. What the consumers fear is that as soon as the meat trust knows the goat is competing with it in the most important market in this country it will proceed to corner the goat supply and jack up the prices.

Wholesale dealers in Wallabout Market say the wholesale prices of meats have advanced 26 to 45 percent in the last two months, and none of them can recall when so much was demanded for beef, lamb, and mutton by the packers. To show the rapid advances which have been made in prices of meat by the 100 pounds, these figures were given out in the market yesterday:

Week ended—	Beef	Lamb	Mutton
February 25.....	\$9.16	\$13.33	\$10.22
March 4.....	6.61	13.02	11.39
March 11.....	10.06	14.45	11.41
March 18.....	10.18	15.15	12.20
March 25.....	10.74	16.22	13.70
April 1.....	11.21	17.17	14.15
April 8.....	11.08	17.30	14.10

—New York Press.

Why Are Men Burglars?

The Springfield youth who by day was a business employee of apparently exemplary habits and by night a burglar and, as it proved, a murderer, is a type of criminal that novelists and playwrights occasionally portray, though examples in real life are rare. It is a type criminologists have seriously studied, but only with the result of leaving the problem of dual personality involved an unfathomable mystery of human nature. The puzzle yet remains of the moral obliquity which diverts into criminal channels intelligence and capacity of the kind of which Spencer's exploits as a burglar show him to have been possessed.

But, apart from moral considerations, the greater puzzle, seeing that he was determined to embark on a

career of crime, is his voluntary choice of burglary, one of the most hazardous and least remunerative of criminal professions. Burglary at no time has earned its followers an income in any way commensurate with the skill required for its successful practice, let alone its risks. What have 35 years of burglary profited the veteran cracksmen with half a dozen aliases, and a record of eight prison terms who was reported in yesterday's news as again under arrest?

When a poor man thinks of wealth he thinks how he would spend it, rather than how he would invest it, which is probably one reason he is a poor man thinking of wealth.

CHARACTER of JOHN D. Jr.

There seems to be no room for doubt that he is deeply religious, and that his religion has the tinge of asceticism. A tinge of asceticism, it may be remarked, is not a bad thing, if it be genuine and not assumed for a purpose. Think of what an exhibition we might be having if John D. Jr. had had a slant in the other direction! Let us thank the good Lord that the heir of all those millions has no marked predilection for chorus girls, a la Thaw, or for breaking the Bank of Monte Carlo, a la Schwab. As a boy, it is said, he manifested a pious disposition and cared more for Sunday School than for the field of athletic sports. At Brown University he was a leader in Christian work and led what we call the ascetic life when somebody else leads it, and what we call the simple life when we ourselves lead it. He was not particularly popular, perhaps. But he was respected, and he was selected to handle the football funds of the varsity team.

He is pallid and an observer is apt to infer that he is anemic. Perhaps he is; but it is said that he used to rise regularly at 6 o'clock in the morning and take a horse-back ride in the Pocantico hills before breakfast, and there is another story about 80 cords of wood which he cut, also in pre-breakfast time. That does not look like anemia exactly. His eyes, however, have given him some trouble, and he has worn glasses ever since his school days. He has broad shoulders, but is a little less than the average height. In all

things he is abstemious, and in the matter of alcoholic liquors he is and always has been a total abstainer.—Current Literature.

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

An earthquake shock, the most severe which had been felt in Oakland for many years is recorded on the seismograph at Chabot Observatory and Professor Charles Burkhalter in his report stated the general direction was from the southwest to the northeast and occurred at 37 minutes and 44 seconds past 3 o'clock in the morning, stopping the mean time clock and lasting for 6 seconds.

The Oakland and Berkeley Rapid Traction Company's line is being built to Berkeley and the people who had not become educated at that time to the advantages of the trolley car are considering an opposition to its building, feeling that the car tracks would depress property valuations along its route. The promoters are considering the building of a cross town line to run from Twenty-Third avenue to the Sixteenth street depot.

Elder E. H. Gates formerly opened the spring conference of the Seventh Day Adventist Association by a sermon in the evening which a large number attended. The session lasted for six days and many delegates were present from other cities.

Professor Frank Soule of the State University had consented to read a popular lecture on "The

Sun" at Hamilton Hall for the benefit of the Good Samaritan Mission.

H. T. Smith has returned from San Jose, where he was a delegate to the Department Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Smith was a candidate for the office of Department Commander, but withdrew from the fight before the election. He reports that the veterans were loud in their praises of the hospitality of the San Jose people.

The East Oakland Tennis club is opened with a match between Daly and Charles Yates of the California club, two of the best players of the time on the Pacific Coast.

Harmony had not existed for some time past between the trustees of the Chabot Sheltering Home and the managers of the institution, the latter resigning and devoting their energies to the management of the Woman's Exchange.

The Senior class in military science at the University had been invited to visit the cruiser Charleston, which was lying in the harbor.

A telegram from London confirmed the report that Miss Josephine Simon, the Oakland songstress, has been patronized by William Ewart Gladstone, who took great delight in presenting her at all the receptions.

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SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK



MISS STELLA RUCKER, a winsome girl, popular in local society. Webster, Photo.



MISS AVIS BURCHARD, a prominent society girl and a talented pianist.

Way," picturing the section as welcoming Shakespeare back to the Twentieth Century. In return the poet applied to the members personally, many of his best known quotations, which were greatly enjoyed.

Miss Jean Booth gave on the piano a fine rendition of the following Patana "Earl of Salisbury" by Ryde, "Le Tambourine" by J. Ph. Gaudet, Gavotte-Gluck-Brands.

Mrs. Fred B. Taylor delighted all over her singing of Shakespearean songs. It was a Lover and His Lass, "Under the Greenwood Tree," from "As You Like It," and "Bid Me Discourse" from "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

A light original birthday song, written by Miss Julia E. Colby, the birthday girl, was sung with great enthusiasm by all present. The members of the section and friends present were.

Miss Edwina Booth, Miss Katherine, Miss E. H. Taylor, Miss Carolyn Reed, Miss Robert Lang, Miss R. P. Stone, Miss W. H. Horton, Miss Alison Stone, Miss A. Chow, Miss L. Nussbaumer, Miss F. W. Luke, Miss R. H. Taylor, Miss John Gray, Miss C. Hunt, Misses Marie and Miss L. Bentley, Miss Julia Tombar, Mrs. Fred Taylor, Mrs. W. Mackay, Mrs. J. R. Stephens, Mrs. A. Anderson, Miss John Yell, Miss W. Vander, Miss Molly Connors, Miss Bessie Chow, Miss Chas. T. Moore, Miss Julia E. Colby.

Miss Julia E. Colby is the very talented curators of the Shakespearean section of the Ethel Club, and her work along very able lines is much appreciated by the many bright members of this specially successful section of the club.

SOCIAL SETTLEMENT WORK MEETING.

There is announced the annual meeting and reception of the Oakland Social Settlement Thursday, April 28, at 3 o'clock at the Settlement corner Third and Linden streets.

There will be reports also from the Oakland Fruit and Flower Mission. The directors are:

Miss T. Alex, Miss Mary Alex, Miss C. H. Correll, Miss Sarah Horton, Miss L. H. Tashner, Miss Emma Wells, Miss W. H. Clark, Miss C. H. Clark, Miss Murray John, Miss E. H. Moore.

WAVE OF PATRIOTISM SWEETS OVER CITY.

A wave of patriotism has swept over the city this week, emphasized by the floating flags and by the soldiers everywhere in evidence on our streets. Minds have harked back to the days of the early sixties, among those old enough to remember those stirring times. And others seem to have brought nearer in a more vivid reality, the civil war days depicted in the many American histories.

One hears that one of the most inspiring pictures seen here in many months was the dinner given in honor of the veterans of the civil war at the Lakeside Skating Rink building.

There were twenty-five hundred guests at the dinner, which was served in splendid style by Mary Hallahan.

people were so beautifully served that many compliments were bestowed upon her efficient management.

KING'S DAUGHTERS WORKERS TO BANQUET.

Many prominent people during the week have received the following invitation, and responses have been so general that a most successful evening is assured.

The board of directors of the Kings Daughters of California Home for Incapacitated requests the presence of yourself and lady of gentleman friend at a banquet to be given in the new Masonic Cathedral banquet room, corner of Fifteenth and Madison streets Oakland Thursday evening, April 28, at 6:30 o'clock. The gathering will be in the interests of the new building campaign for the Home for Incapacitated. Brief addresses will be given during the evening by Hon. Henry A. Mohr, Hon. Frank K. Mott, Rabbi M. Friedlander, Mr. Harrison Clay, Rev. L. R. Dille, D. D., Rev. Charles R. Brown, Mr. Henry J. McCoy, Rev. Frank Goodspeed, D. D. and others.

Mrs. Milla Brown, Mrs. C. C. Clay, Mrs. A. H. Hills, Mrs. L. Van Slyke, Dr. A. S. Kelly, Mr. C. E. Cornhill, Mr. Noel H. Jacks.

MRS. MARY CHILDS GIVES IN AT HOME.

One of the largest of homes of the week was that given by Mrs. Mary Childs in honor of Miss Helen Dornin, whose engagement to William Childs was a recent announcement. The day was ideal for a tea, and many guests assembled in honor of this well known girl one of the most popular brides-elect of the spring. The house was lovely with bright decorations, quantities of carnations adorning the drawing room and in the dining room were effective bird-shaped roses.

Mrs. Childs looked exceedingly well in a becoming gown of crepe de chine, in soft gray tones.

Miss Helen Dornin wore an elaborate gown of real lace beautifully designed. Miss Dornin brought the gown from Paris when she came home from Europe a short time ago.

Mrs. George Dornin wore a handsome gown of white broadcloth, beautifully trimmed in lace.

One saw many lovely gowns at the tea and they added to the picturesque effect of this very bright "at home."

Miss Ella Bacon Soule wore an exceedingly handsome gown of white satin, with a black lace overdress.

Mrs. Frank C. Havens was a lovely study in a very beautiful costume, in exquisite pale pearl gray tones. The gown was of soft grey crepe de chine, showing a fine design and the handsome costume was set off by a most becoming hat, also in tones of gray, with soft gray plumes.

Mrs. T. C. Coogan wore an elaborate gown of black lace over white liberty satin, and Miss Mary Coogan looked exceedingly well in a dainty white lingerie gown.

Mrs. Traylor Bell (Helen Chase) wore a very pretty gown of green

liberty satin the gown attractively trimmed in lace.

Among the many effective costumes of the afternoon were those worn by Mrs. Frank C. Havens, Mrs. William Dornin, Mrs. Charles T. Moore, Mrs. Milla Brown, Mrs. C. C. Clay, Mrs. A. H. Hills, Mrs. L. Van Slyke, Dr. A. S. Kelly, Mr. C. E. Cornhill, Mr. Noel H. Jacks.

Many complimentary affairs are being planned this spring for Miss Dornin, among which is a luncheon and bridge to be given by Mrs. George Chase. Mrs. Chase will entertain her guests on Thursday, April 28, at her home in Piedmont.

MR. AND MRS. EVLSON LEAVE FOR THE EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Evlson and the Misses Marian and Elsie Evlson left last Friday for the East and Europe, and their stay abroad is to be an indefinite one. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts (Ella Evlson) will occupy the family home on Filbert street.

Mr. Evlson has not been to Europe before, but Mrs. Evlson and her daughters have had several trips abroad. The Evlsons are to travel leisurely through Europe and some time during the summer they are to be at Oberammergau.

Mrs. Soule, Mrs. Bacon and Douglas Soule are also among those planning the summer abroad. They will leave some time in May, taking the Mediterranean trip, and during the summer they will find themselves in the quaint Bavarian villages, where will be given the famous Passion play, preparations for which are attracting the attention of the whole world.

MRS. H. M. A. MILLER ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller was the hostess at an elaborate luncheon, given across the bay this week, her guest of honor being Miss Amy Howles. Mrs. Miller entertained her guests at the Francesca Club, which is one of the most artistic of the many women's clubs across the bay.

PLAN TO BUILD PICTURESCUE HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Chickering (Theo Parr) are planning to build a very picturesque home in the near

future. Meantime they are at the Peralta Apartments on Jackson street, and at the same apartments are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jackson and their little daughter.

RECENT GUESTS AT DEL MONTE.

Among the recent guests at Del Monte were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee who motored to Monterey with Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr. The Magees are very firm friends of Mrs. Oelrichs and of Mrs. Vanderbilt and are much entertained by them when they are in New York.

SOCIAL DATES FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

There have been more social dates for the young people than is usual in the late spring days. Mrs. Harry Maxwell entertained at a very jolly and successful dinner in honor of Miss Patricia of Alameda, whose engagement was announced last week.

Miss Edna McDuffie of Santa Barbara has been Miss Maxwell's guest for some weeks and she was a delightful hostess on Thursday, entertaining at an elaborate luncheon in honor of Miss Maxwell and Miss Mary Skafie.

Miss Skafie's engagement to Mr. McDuffie was a recent announcement. Miss McDuffie entertained her guests at the Claremont Country Club and the elaborate luncheon was followed by a game of bridge.

INFORMAL DANCES HAVE SPECIAL CHARM.

Informal dances have their special charm for the young people—to dance is what they love to do best in the world—and it is a heart-breaking event to miss one dance in the evening. Miss Carol Mills entertained at an informal dance on Tuesday evening, asking a few friends to be her guests at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Rupert Whitehead.

Her guests included for the most part the young people who took part in the Carmen dance at the Kirmess early in the spring.

Miss Dorothy Capwell was also a delightful young hostess of the week, entertaining at an informal dance at the Country Club on Thursday evening. Mrs. Capwell is most hospitable and she takes a great deal of trouble for her daughter and the latter's young friends.

The Capwells have a very delightful home at Brookdale, and Mrs. Capwell loves to entertain there during the summer, merry parties of young guests, friends of her pretty daughter, Dorothy.

The dance at the Claremont Club

on Thursday evening was followed by a very enjoyable supper and Mr. and Mrs. Capwell planned an ideal evening for their daughter and her young friends.

MISS HOLLAND PLANS A LARGE AFFAIR.

Miss Lois Holland has included seventy-five guests in the invitations which she has sent out for a dance to be given the latter part of this week. Miss Holland will entertain at her home on Telegraph avenue at what promises to be one of the most perfectly planned dances given at any home this season.

MANY DATES OF INTEREST.

The merry round goes on for the next week, and there are many dates of interest.

The Kelly-Palmer wedding is scheduled for Monday evening in San Francisco. Mrs. George Chase's luncheon takes place on Thursday, and on Thursday also Miss Pardee entertains for her English friend. On Saturday there will be the large reception for Miss "Pussy" Creed, there are card dates, innumerable, besides the Holmes Travelogues and the various offerings of the Orpheum and the theaters generally.

It is one's own fault if the lighter side of life does not find a reflection in one's own heart, as the beautiful spring days drift by.

CHARMING WEEK ENDS.

The beautiful spring weather which is general all over Central California has sent many people into the country much earlier than usual and is responsible for an altogether unusual number of week-end parties. Last week no one remained in town who could get away, for Saturday and Sunday were perfect days.

Among those who entertained house parties were the Atherton Folgers, who are at their country place at Woodside. The Josselins entertained a house party, of which Miss Ethel Cooper was a member. Judge and Mrs. James A. Cooper were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cooper at San Mateo. Mrs. Edgar Preston, who has left the Fairmont for good and has opened her country home, Portola, at Woodside, had Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston and Janet Norris for her guests over Sunday. Miss Elizabeth Woods was the guest of the Charles Clarks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. A. Miller are entertaining at a long series of dinner parties at their attractive home in Ross. Their guests Sunday before last were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. John Drum. Mr. and Mrs. John Drum motored to Del Monte for the last week end.

A motoring party which consisted entirely of a group of bright women made the Lake county trip last week,

returning to San Francisco on Monday evening. They stopped at all Lake county springs, but especially at Highland. Two moters were employed in making the trip. Among the ladies were Mrs. James Robinson, Mrs. William Mayo Newhall, Miss Laura McKinstry, Miss Jennie Hooker and Miss Elena Robinson.

Miss Marian Newhall and Miss Julia Langhorne have gone on a roughing trip to the Newhall ranch, where they expect to spend their time riding over the hills and camping out.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Deering left on Wednesday evening for Yosemite, where they will spend three or four weeks.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Mrs. Jane Ralph Bessette is a young bride of but several months, prominent in society and in the musical set of this city and Berkeley.

Miss Stella Rucker, a charming debutante, is one of the most popular girls in the University set and is prominent in the society life of the bay cities.

Miss Avis Burchard is another musically gifted girl and has taken part in many affairs given by amateurs of society.

Miss Hazel Dell Webb is a winsome girl who has many friends. She is possessed of a charming personality and of more than the usual amount of pulchritude. She, too, is musically gifted and sings with exceptional finesse.

COMINGS AND GOINGS OF PEOPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton will leave the Fairmont on the first of May and will open the house they have taken at Burlingame for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Pierce and their little daughter Heloise will move into the San Knight place at Burlingame about the first of May. The Knights are going to Europe for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grant and the Misses Josephine and Edith Grant have sailed from New York to pass the late spring, summer and early autumn in England. They have taken a house there. Douglas Grant, who was to have gone with them, buried himself badly on the cigar lighter at the Fairmont a day or so before the departure of the family and has since spent his time at the Adler sanitarium. He is now convalescing and will be able to travel soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mendell and Miss Louise Janin and Covington Janin have taken a house in Belvedere, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. William Mintzer is still confined in her bed so that the family plans for the summer are indefinite, but it is quite probable that the Mintzers will spend some time in Santa Barbara. All of the children will come from the East to spend the summer holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Livermore and Miss Elizabeth Livermore will go to their country place near Calistoga about the 10th of May. The Livermores always entertain many house parties during the season. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Livermore will spend

the last St. Francis concerts have been rather frosty affairs, though the Flonzelay quartet was excellent material for a good concert. The concert before the last was distinctly poor, so it was an off night so far as the subscribers were concerned. The Flonzelay concert would perhaps have been well attended if so many people had not been out of town. Society is returning to town for the last Maud Allan dances, but it would not come up for chamber music. There were no new or striking gowns worn at the last concert. Everyone is "finishing up" evening gowns and no new or striking creations are due to appear until the fall.

There is nothing especially interesting billed at the theaters until the appearance of charming Grace George in a fortnight in her new play which has made a furore in the East. In May, also, there will be some Darnoch orchestral concerts and the Ross parties at their attractive home in Ross. Their guests Sunday before last were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. John Drum. Mr. and Mrs. John Drum motored to Del Monte for the last week end.

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Between cards and four hundred invitations have been issued and the hostesses are making a number of their friends to assist them in giving their guests.

GO TO BEN LOMOND

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. L. Sullenger left today for Ben Lomond in the Santa Cruz train. They will spend the remainder of the month at the resort. They will take the train on the 15th and will take the train on the 15th and will take the train on the 15th.

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Joseph D. Redding is expected to arrive in San Francisco in a few days and his coming is always the signal for much entertaining. Mrs. Redding and Miss Josephine Redding are now in New York, having rented their attractive apartment in Paris for the season.

Miss Genevieve Harvey is to be a June bride, the wedding being scheduled to take place during the first week in June at the residence of the bride, grandmother, Mrs. Eleanor Martin. It will not be a large affair. After the wedding Ward Barron will take his bride abroad on a trip which is planned to last for two years.

SMOKING AT CARD PARTIES.

At a recent large bridge party across the bay wreaths of pale blue smoke were seen curling from almost all of the tables and the ash tray was as much a part of the table furnishings as the bridge score or the cards. The guests were, of course, from the Burlingame set where many of the women are actually miserable without a cigarette immediately after eating. It is quite usual to see cigarette smoking at very small parties of one or two tables or after dinner, but to see eight or ten tables smoking together is quite a novel sight.

A RECENT DUTCH DINNER.

At a recent dinner given in honor of a popular San Francisco authoress the decorations and head-dresses took quite a novel turn. The writer, it seems had lately written a play which has been accepted by a New York manager and is soon to be produced in New York. The name of the piece is the "Duchess of Sude," and the action takes place in Holland. The decorations and costumes of the guests were a surprise to the guest of honor. In the center of the long table was a wash tub filled with tulips and miniature clothes pins fastened the name cards to the napkins. The men were all attired as burgomasters and the women as dames of Delphi. The men wore long tunics of dark cloth over their evening dress. Their ruffs were of white tissue paper and their cuffs of white lace self paper. They had large picturesque plumed slouch hats and the hostess furnished mustaches and imperials. In fact, all of the costumes were impromptu and were donned after arrival. The women wore capacious white aprons, white starched caps and white kerchiefs. The effect as the guests greeted the astounded playwright was excellent. Several of the guests had prepared "fake" reviews of the play, which created gales of merriment and after dinner charades were played. The simple affair affords plenty of

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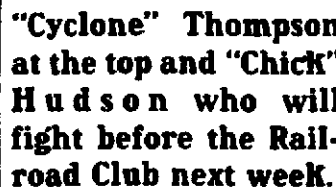
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PRINCETON N. J. April 23. — With considerable new blood on both sides, American and British university players took their places at their board this morning for the tenth annual struggle for international supremacy at the "gamen." Beginning at 10 o'clock the morning session of the "gamen" players were prepared to continue the rivalry by cable until 7 o'clock in the evening the hour set for closing.

At the American board, the leading seat for possession of the valuable trophy designated by Professor Isaac L. Rice, Princeton's president, was held by the Americans' have won the last two matches making three wins for each side and one for the British.

At the American board in Alexander Hall Princeton I. W. Stephens, Princeton and N. T. Whittaker of Pennsylvania are the only members of the Princeton team who have played there also two veterans on the English team R. Lob of Oxford and J. M. Bee of Cambridge. The other members of the American team are J. J. Chandler, L. L. Telling of Cornell, J. B. Burgess of Yale and H. L. Bauder of Pennsylvania. The British team includes besides the mentioned A. P. Waters of London, H. H. Foster and F. R. Hoare of Cambridge.

Police Direct Crowds At Chicago Ball Park

CHICAGO, April 23.—Chief of Police Steward sent to commanding officers of the various police precincts a general order to instruct their men to guard against the overcrowding and blocking of aisles in all baseball parks in Chicago.

Following is the order:

We have been informed there was excessive overcrowding and blocking of aisles in the National League baseball park because instructions to the commanding officers of the various precincts of the city wherein baseball parks are located and directed in the future be necessary, steps to guard against a recurrence of these conditions.

Amateur Aviator Just Misses Death

PRINCE April 23—A White, 300 feet in length, yesterday in the front line of the antisubmarine fight. The Hall, son of the late H. H. Hall, the Lowell Court met with an accident but by a glide cleared ground and safely. He was diving from 1,000 ft. to 300 ft. three miles when the plane suddenly support caught in the water. The aeroplane nearly tipped over and it was with difficulty that the pilot could be made.

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Following contests are conducted in Milwaukee in violation of the state law prohibiting prize fights according to the design given by Judge Alvin C. Sweeney: The prize bout between two men who have been given no purse, awarded no championship at stake, and no official sanction, but a prize fight.

It is Terry Greedlows, lured at Malonesville, Ind., to fight Eugene E. Egan.

It is Percy Greedlows, lured at Malonesville, Ind., to fight Eugene E. Egan.

It is better to be born lucky than to be rich. Gibson estimates after the war will emerge from the wreck of World War's motor car which had been run into a sidewalk in Kansas City, Mo., by a woman or child.



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St. Joseph's White Sox will meet the Tourist team of San Francisco on the Fruitvale diamond tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The Fruitvale boys are in excellent form and fast work is expected. The St. Joseph nine is also preparing to meet the St. Mary's team during the week of the Fruitvale carnival but a definite day for the encounter has been set as yet.

Athletes Suspended as Result of Expos

STANFORD UNIVERSITY Apr. 23—As the outgrowth of the recent student body political scandal stirred up by a series of articles written by J. Miller and published in the *Stanford* a college magazine H. L. Horton and D. P. Crawford the most prominent athletes in Stanford, have been suspended from the university for

Both men admit their suspension, although as yet it has not been officially announced by the student affairs committee. The specific charge against the two athletes is that they participated in a drinking party held in Emerson Hall the men's dormitory.

The student body is practically unanimous in endorsing the action of the student affairs committee while it is considered took the only course open to it and treated Horton and Crawford mildly in view of the charge against them.

EMERSONS WIN TWO GAMES

The Emersons 11 defeated the Washington 11 in a double header taking two games. The first of the games was a batting and fielding and the bat work of the Emersons. The scores at 12 to 7 and 12 to 3.

The line up of the Emersons is as follows: Foster left field Hanson first base Nelson third base Robstock second base Smith catcher Buckstall right field Koch pitcher Barr center field Adams pitcher average age 43. Address all challenges to Sterling Cole, 4338 Maple street.

PUGILIST'S NOSE BROKEN
Nat Goldie, 19 years of age, 408 Fifth street, called at the Receiving Hospital about midnight to have a broken nose treated. The injury was sustained in a contest at the Reliance Club fights.

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Another surprise occurred in the second race when Sainotta with Anderson up outgamed her field in the run for home winning off by a length and a

half. The race was an eagle bird for the layers as there was very little money wagered on the Salin mare. Combury, who had the foot of the field dogged it badly in the stretch but got in plenty of time to grab the place for Calopus. The well played Silk developed into a piece of calico when the real racing took place.

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The knight of the mid night oil and the wise player hand cooled out up to the third race. Bramble took the place and the Silk setting at 6 to 5 and at post time the layers thought that they would do their clients a favor by raising the price a point higher which was 7 to 5 and the public grabbed at

MARYSVILLE April 23—ED Page, who became suddenly rich last Monday, was not alone in his good fortune. Being without funds recently he secured a loan from the bank of \$10,000. A well known stage driver, the Camptoville line, and he gave George a half interest in his mine near Indiana ranch. It was in this mine that Page found a pocket coin shining \$40,000 in gold nuggets last Monday. There may be more than one thousands more, but Page has quit mining for a few days.

Only last Saturday he tried to sell part of his half interest to Marysville men for \$50 or \$100 because he was broke but found no takers. An hour's work last Monday made the fortune he has sold long been seeking.

**Seminole to Play
Fast Ashland Nine**

At the rise of the gate the favorite was slow to get going but locked. A very interesting game is promised for the hand fans next Sunday afternoon at Ashland Recreation Park when the fast Senecioles from Oakland play the two clubs met in a great ten-ninning game which was won by Ashland by the score of 10 to 8. The match should be fully as exciting. The Hayward and the Green and Broadway go direct to the green.

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Radichon After Kalerhorst was declared out of the race it was time for Cadell to win the race as he had nothing to go out with him to make stop. He was placed down for the long story short the favorite got cut out of the track out of the box and did not get to the line. The favorite was the meantime to K Kuro which was placed heavily in spots at odds of 10 to 1 and losing with a striking distance from the finish and won out handily from Namerito and Hush. Some of the favorites beaten were for three money.

AMVICITAS TO PLAY:
Tomorrow afternoon on their grounds at Fort Reid and Market streets the team will play the fast Braley-Grote nine.
Sunday Max J. the Amvicitas go to Sunkist and play the Mexico team for garage with the Amvicitas call up Crooby place Oakland 628

BELLHAR TRACK CAPTAIN
STANFORD UNIVERSITY April 23
C. H. Bellhar '10 has been elected captain

Owner and Trainer Jack Fraters who has been trying to win a bracket with Dr. Downie since his arrival from Juarez was successful yesterday. The brown gelding of the standard track team for next year Bellsah is a pole vaulter, his record being 12 ft 2 3/4 inches and has been a point winner in several meets in the broad jump.

horse by Ben Howard was one of the twelve that faced it the starter in the fifth race. William Jones, who made the weight on Jack Praters charge lay off the early pace. Turning into the stretch he took the lead and won out in a drive from the rear. The favorite, Ben Howard, looked as if he would stick it out to the wire backed up badly in the stretch and the best she could do was to be third.

FRUITFUL and plucky Elmhurst on the latter's grinds Sunday afternoon. Batteries Russell and Renwick, and Jones. San Leandro will play Alameda at San Leandro at the same time. Batteries Westfall and Peterson, Cromwate and King.

Lena Iech, which was nicely rated by Jackie Menzies, won the confidence of the short end players by taking the closing race in a common canter. She came from behind the leaders to the stretch when she made her run and breezed home. Amethyst held at the big odds of 60 to 1.

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Art of Train Robbery Again

Is the lost art of train robbery to be revived in California? I thought that with the multiplicity of telephone and telegraph connections and the growing density of rural population train robbery was to be no more. But I was surprised—I may not say delighted—to learn Sunday that the crime had been revived, and all within fifty miles of San Francisco.

Robbery in any form is mean, cruel, cowardly, despicable, nauseating. But a train robbery, when it is unattended by murder, is less so than midnight burglary or highway robbery of a belated citizen. There is a touch of daring added to the game which gives it a certain allure of courage. California will never be as famous in the history of outlawry as Missouri—God help us. Missouri gave the world Jesse and Frank James—and no Californian can hope to compete in bloodiness, outlawry, crime, with those bandits of the early railroad days. But we have had Chris Evans, though Evans had a limited sphere of action and a moderate period of depravity and "hero" worship. He lost an eye and an arm at his craft and its attendant adventures—but wounds are the by-products of robbery, so a guarding providence has ordained.

Then there were stage robbers of infamous renown—Black Bart and the Spanish bandits. But that is ancient history. Train robbery does not pay when the robber can be chased by automobiles and headed off by telephone. "The taverns and the lassies" of Villain's rogues are not so attractive today as to make train robbery worth while.—News Letter.

New Elixir Of Life

If it be true, as reported, that a celebrated French physician has discovered an elixir that for a moment life indefinitely, what strange changes are bound to come about in consequence. Who, for instance, will respect a gray beard when he is no nearer death than the rest of us, and with his experience in matters terrestrial, is probably getting more fun out of life? Headlines in our newspapers will read: "A youth of sixty elopes with a girl of seventeen; the happy lover was a close friend of the lady's grandfather, and was once married to her grandmother." Or again: "Another carload of babies was dumped in the bay this morning, something will have to be done to overcome these pests." And what will become of all our churches and religious bodies? When we no longer fear death, we will no longer have reason to fear what may come after. Likewise, since it will be well nigh impossible, according to common parlance, for a man "to go to Hell," sin will be wiped out at the same time. What a happy world! And yet it will have its drawbacks. If our fathers are to go on living forever, how are we going to inherit their property? And if one can no longer drink one's self to death in consequence, what is the use of being flit? Then suppose John D. Rockefeller kept on living indefinitely! Why, he would own the world and be bribing Venus inside fifty years. When it is impossible for a man to lose his property behind him, he should no longer be allowed to accumulate it. But if John were not allowed to accumulate, beyond doubt it would be the killing of him—in spite of the elixir.—News Letter.

Troubles of Census Men

The census takers are having their troubles. What seemed to be on first sight an easy task to handle is becoming tangled with all the fables of diverse human nature. Some people fill out their slips humorously, and a great many do not fill them out at all. One old maid is reported to have flung her cat at a census man as "an impertinent questioner who couldn't mind his own business," and another, a married lady, objected to putting herself down as having eight children because her figure was still good. The following story comes from Superintendent Baldwin in regard to a suffragette. The lady, it seemed, had neglected to fill out her census slip until the census taker arrived. Doing so then, she put her sex down as "suffragette."

The census taker objected. "That won't do," he argued. "Put either 'male' or 'female'."

"Very well, then," she said seriously. "I'll put 'suffragette' as my occupation."—News Letter.

Criticism of Prof. Loeb's Theory

Professor Bertheau declares "science run mad" to be about the only way to designate Professor Loeb's statement that he has been able to produce artificial life by means of salt water and the eggs of the sea urchin. As Professor Loeb took no pleasure in having made such a statement, and does not even have a scientific ability to produce artificial life, one of two things is manifest: Either Professor Bertheau or Professor Loeb is a liar of the first magnitude. Yet I know that Professor Loeb is not a liar, and that Professor Bertheau is not of the first magnitude. People who acquire information by absorbing the heads of newspaper articles not infrequently get confused notions of things which, possibly, may explain away the above confusion of facts and fallacies.—News Letter.

Ed Graney Has Obliging Clerk

Ed. Graney employed a young negro some time ago to work in his billiard parlor. The boy had been very poor all of his life, and was exceedingly glad to get the job. He applied himself to it with great industry and desire to please. A short time after his getting the place he was accosted in the following manner by a gentleman playing a game of billiards, who wanted to get some money changed at the bar.

"Darkey," he called, holding out a gold piece, "will you change twenty dollars for me?"

The young negro, approaching him, smiled suddenly with an expression of great pleasure and scratched his head.

"I'm plum sorry that I can't do it fer yo', sir," he apologized. "But I s'pecially appreciate de honor 'o' havin' yo' ask me."—News Letter.

Drinking of San Francisco Women

Miss Marie Brehm says that she has seen more drinking among San Francisco women in a week than she would be able to observe in a month in Chicago. I asked an Englishman who has been put up at the Burlington and the Bohemian Clubs about it. His observations have roamed about the smart set extending from the peninsula to Pacific Heights. "Young girls in their second and third seasons drink more here than anywhere in the world," he asserted. "In London there is the fast drinking set, but girls who want to make good marriages are ruled out. Young girls are allowed to have a little head on drinking before they have become thoroughly practiced socially. They become seasoned with alcohol before they are seasoned to society." I repeated this conversation to a young matron of a set composed largely of the little group of helmses whose matrimonial intentions have interested society for three seasons. "Rubbish!" she scoffed. "Why, most of the girls have sworn off. Not on high moral grounds, but because they were getting fat. You can't drink and keep your figure. Look at Virginia Fair Vanderbilt! Do you suppose she would have such a good figure if she champed at every meal? The only girls who can afford to be the available ones whose bones resist flesh, no matter how much encouragement they get to put it on. Vanity has won more 'dry' votes than any lecturer. As long as flesh is abominated, we are not going to drunkards' graves. The hipless, bustless, fleshless styles have done more to convert society women to abstinence than all the 'Thou shalt nots.'"

You can prove anything by statistics, likewise by observation. Miss Brehm did not confine her observations to the smart set when she scored San Francisco women. The Englishman, in an unprejudiced and unimpassioned way, says that young society women here are numerously practiced in the questionable art of draining their glasses. He is sincere in this belief. The society matron who is famed for presenting the truth, not with ruffles, but knife plaited, insists that most of the girls are keeping the water wagon in sight. So you can take your choice of these opinions.—News Letter.

Story About Enid Gregg

Miss Enid Gregg is another type of girl who stands out like a white chalk mark on a black board. She has a personality that would make her conspicuous anywhere, and like the young women we chatted about last week, becomes a factor, not a figurehead, in every gathering. You may sort and choose and label the qualities that command this sort of thing, and you may not find all the ingredients commendable, but you cannot question the statement that there are young women who vivify mere existence and achieve prominence everywhere. Here is a story which may throw a new light on Enid Gregg's character, and the story is all truth and a yard wide. One by one the Burlingtonians are capitulating to this young girl. Only one fortress remained impregnable. The chateau of that fortress has a dear friend who had taken a fancy to Enid Gregg. She sent for Enid. "My dear, you can easily be anything you like socially," she said, "if you only stop trying to drag in your friend." "If society won't accept my friend, it need not accept me," was the loyal reply. Consider the examples of disloyalty right here in San Francisco; the climbers who have arrived by arranging their friends into graduated steps and ordering each step from as soon as they passed to the next. Miss Gregg links her arm in her school chum's and says, "Come on in, the walking is fine."

Isn't that a lesson in loyalty?—News Letter.

Talbot Clifton Is Coming

From "White Hat" McCarthy I learn that Talbot Clifton, the Englishman who invented Burlingame, is more on his way to pay this city a visit. He would not be a bit surprised if he should make one of that party of a hundred London sports with Lord Roscherry at their head who are crossing land and sea to be present at the Jeffries-Johnson fight. A great sportsman and a true one is Talbot Clifton and his visit here will create more stir than the coming of half a dozen Kitcheners. On his last brief visit Talbot Clifton saw only three of his old friends. He stayed in the city but a short time, announcing that he was here for the purpose of enjoying once more the society of his old pal, "White Hat."

I think Joe Tobin and Walter Hobart were the only other celebrities who penetrated his exclusiveness on that occasion. It remains to be seen whether he will be more democratic this time.

One never to return are the good old days when Talbot Clifton romped the nights away to the music of golden guineas. Gone are his coaches, his tallies, his tandems, his splendid mounts. Gone too the glorious haunts where he delighted to entertain and be entertained by the gilded sports of the dead town. But San Francisco has new attractions to replace the old and "White Hat" is still here to act as guide, philosopher and friend to the returning Britisher.

That was a historic day at the Vendome in San Jose when Clifton and McCarthy met and became fast friends. McCarthy, I think, was down there to break the world's driving record by going four miles in ten-twelve. He was in the Vendome when the Britisher arrived. Going to the register he found inscribed there, "John Talbot Clifton and valet, London, England." So McCarthy wrote under it "D. McCarthy and valet, San Francisco." Somebody called Clifton's attention to the joke and the two men were made acquainted. They were friends from that minute.—Town Talk.

Got Millionaire Backing

Andrew McCreery is said to be the principal backer of Miss Perine, who is erecting a studio building on Bush street. Miss Perine was born to wealth, but, as with many San Francisco people of good family, the riches took to themselves wings before the children were grown up. When she conceived the idea of putting up a studio building she read all the apartments in advance before she even invested in the lot.—The Wasp.

The Walking Fad

Since the automobile has attained such popularity that it is in danger of becoming too vulgar for our exclusives, many of the fastidious cult have reverted to nature, taking to the highways and giving over the evil-smelling buzz-wagon to those who have not as yet penetrated the deeper mysteries of the art of living. Walking has become the greatest fad that ever took Burlingame by storm. The Sears long-distance jaunt was but an outcome of the talk about this fad. While one of the women or girls ever took a continuous jaunt that length, they think nothing of all ten or fifteen miles. Mrs. H. McDonald Spencer and her sisters, the Josselyn girls, have organized a walking club among their Burlingame friends. It is a small but very exclusive coterie and just now the attainment of records for speed and distance stirs Burlingame out of its enured placidity as nothing in years has done. It was Mr. Spencer himself who started the fad last fall. The giant Apollo and idol of the country club set hikes to San Jose, a distance of approximately thirty miles from his home, between early breakfast and luncheon time, and thinks nothing of the feat. His demeanor, disregard of his feet inspired his friends with envy and it was the petite Mrs. Spencer herself who became his first pupil. She is now pacing her girl friends from town. Miss Innes Kenney, Miss Genevieve Harvey, Miss Marjorie Josselyn and Miss Helen Chesbrough are among the girls who are devoted to the walking fad.—Town Talk.

Here's The Secret

Aside from a desire to get back to nature, another reason inspires the Burlingame women to such activity. It is absolutely imperative that you be slender, lissome, like a Burne-Jones damsel. You dare not plump or pull in the waist, for your clothes must fit easily, like the busks clinging to the tender green corn. This is not only a passing but a permanent condition in the fashionable set. Since the luncheons and teas must be attended, the only way to fight the approach of deadly adipose is to take to the highways, and if you chance down Burlingame way any morning, lolling along in your easy motor, you may come across a group of short-skirted nimble-footed maids, tripping gaily beside the dew-washed hedges. They belong to the Back-to-Nature cult whose high priestess is the blonde and dainty Mrs. Spencer.—Town Talk.

Possible Rival For the Colonel

Miss Eleanor Sears has learned the value of printer's ink in arousing public interest. It is said that every variety of request, from "Miss Sears will you marry me?" to "Will you finance an expedition to the top of Mount McKinley?" has been received by Miss Eleanor Sears since her recent trip from Burlingame to near Del Monte. She is said to have received letters from epistolers shocked at Miss Sears' mannish costumes, expressions of admiration from schoolboy athletes, and offers from enterprising real estate managers. A moving picture firm also wanted the Boston society girl from Melbourne shortly after the fire and is a rising young architect. He belongs to the University, Burlingame and El Centro Clubs. Mr. and Mrs. Churchill have recently moved into an attractive new home in San Mateo, where the wedding will take place on Wednesday, June 1, at noon. As yet no details have been arranged. The couple will reside in San Mateo.—Town Talk.

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Bradley's Pet Rule

How hard it is to please everybody was illustrated recently in the experience of the telephone company. A rule requiring the operators to respond to all bells with the question "Number please?" was put into effect by General Manager Bradley, who is a stickler for courtesy. The rule made a hit. Scores and scores of pages of the Armory. Already seven San Franciscans count themselves among the publicly proclaimed armigerous persons of America (it has a horrid sound), while scores of others have received Mr. Matthews' ingenious appeal for permission to make a "General Search" among genealogical records to determine whether or not their earliest known ancestors belonged to the Burke's Peerage set. Mr. Matthews will do his best, given "any particulars you have of your earliest known ancestor," to prove that he in his turn had ancestors worth recording. Specimen pages of the "Armory" and other literature concerning it make delightful reading. From one of Mr. Matthews' circulars I learn that the following local people have bought into the record: Mrs. O. D. Baldwin, Mrs. Arthur D. Cross of Oakland, George E. Hall, William H. T. Huie, Robert D. Hume, Theodore B. Lyman of Alameda, Mrs. W. D. Mansfield, Henry B. Pierce, Horace D. Pillsbury, Lieutenant-Colonel Otis W. Pollock of Alameda and Chauncey R. Winslow.—Town Talk.

Bridge Trophies Were Rouge Boxes

One of San Francisco's most prominent society leaders, a lady who is noted for her daring originality, her clever gift of repartee, and her general freedom from the hampering bonds of conventionality, startled the smart set a week or two ago by giving a bridge party at which the prizes were rouge cases. Now rouge in San Francisco, where our women prize themselves on the brilliancy of their complexions, is an article which, if used by our society women, is done very much on the Q. T., and the friends of the lady consider her prizes as quite a give-away on the boudoir secrets of the "upper ten." But surely the lady knew her guests, and what would please them, and the pleasure the prize-winners who secured the fascinating little brocade bags in the bottom of which a tiny mirror was inserted, while the rouge pot and her foot were tucked within, is a trifling but nevertheless pointed commentary on the habits of the fair ladies present. Hence the surprise of society, which feels, in a way, that it has been betrayed by one of its elect.—The Wasp.

The Cure Of Cancer

Two significant incidents in the war which civilization is waging on cancer occurred recently. Dr. G. B. Massey of Chicago demonstrated the efficacy of electrical treatment for the disease in the London Cancer Hospital. Dr. Massey pierced cancerous tissue with three zinc needles coated with mercury and turned on an electric current millamperes. The cancer bleached and then shriveled. The needles were next placed in healthy tissue surrounding the cancer, destroying the outlying colonies of cancer germs and the lines of dissemination. This first use of ionic surgery in England has created a profound sensation among cancer experts. Within a few days of this experiment President Taft asked the Congress to appropriate \$50,000 for the establishment of a laboratory for the study of cancer in fishes. This disease sometimes becomes epidemic in fishes, sweeping them away in thousands, and it is thought that the study of it in the lower organisms will add the study of it in man.—Town Talk.

The Roosevelt Indelicacy

Colonel Roosevelt is in such close touch with the newspaper correspondents who are accompanying him on his European tour that it is a wonder he did not censor more carefully one of the dispatches sent to the papers during the Italian visit. It stated that during the stay of Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt in Spezia they paid a visit to the bedroom which they occupied twenty-five years ago on their honeymoon. Almost any man would shrink from having such a fact published broadcast, but as the correspondents apparently published nothing which does not meet with the colonel's approval, it would seem that he saw nothing indelicate in the statement. Foreign papers were much amused when it was announced that Roosevelt arrived in Spezia incognito—clad in a Rough Rider overcoat of khaki with the insignia of a colonel. This is not the sort of incognito to which Europe has been accustomed.—Town Talk.

The Expected Happened

The engagement just announced, of Miss Marie Churchill, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Churchill, and John Martin Haenke does not come as a surprise, as the many friends of this pretty young Southern girl have long noted the devotion of the young man which has been marked since their first meeting. I predicted their engagement some time ago. It was a case of love at first sight on both sides. Mr. and Mrs. Churchill have only been residents of California a few years; they belong to a prominent and well-known family of Little Rock, Arkansas. Miss Churchill is a brunette with brilliant dark eyes and has been a great favorite in army and navy circles since her debut a couple of years ago. In fact when the fleet sailed away last summer it was thought by many that her engagement to a popular young ensign would be announced. But I always knew that these were on the wrong track. Mr. Haenke is also a resident in this city. He came here from Melbourne shortly after the fire and is a rising young architect. He belongs to the University, Burlingame and El Centro Clubs. Mr. and Mrs. Churchill have recently moved into an attractive new home in San Mateo, where the wedding will take place on Wednesday, June 1, at noon. As yet no details have been arranged. The couple will reside in San Mateo.—Town Talk.

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Bridegroom Received Silver

Anthony Drexel Jr. also received some very valuable gifts from his parents on the occasion of his marriage with Miss Marjorie Gould. Some handsome silver table pieces and a Georgian silver canteen were among the presents. George Gould gave his daughter a splendid new house at 1015 Fifth avenue, paying between \$350,000 and \$400,000 for the property. It covers a 26-foot lot between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets. It is a six-story American basement dwelling, built two years ago. It is one of the most complete new structures along upper Millionaires' Row. The furnishings which Mr. Gould put in the house raised the cost of the bridal gift above \$500,000.—The Wasp.

A Genuine Surprise

No greater surprise to society and the business world has occurred in many a day than the totally unheralded announcement of the marriage of James Horsburgh Jr., the handsome and popular general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, and Mrs. Frances Baldwin Sanborn, last Tuesday, at the home of the bride's mother at Los Gatos. Mrs. Horsburgh, as Miss Fanny Baldwin, was one of the most popular belles in society some eight or ten years ago. A charming girl, with claims to striking beauty and a brilliant complexion which was the envy of her less fortunate sisters, she was a great favorite, and made her debut in society at the same time as did her close friends who attended Miss Marjorie Churchill's exclusive school. Miss Baldwin's intimates included Miss Hannah Williams, who married Walter Hobart, Miss Alice Cobden Hoffman, Miss Ursula Greene, Clay Greene's winsome daughter, who is now Mrs. Houghton Sawyer, and Miss Kate Salisbury, who married Alexander D. Keyes. Mr. Horsburgh's bride was a general favorite amongst her schoolgirl acquaintances and in society, and her marriage at the end of her first season to Sheffield Sanborn was a blow to many an admirer. Young Sanborn and Miss Baldwin had been sweethearts from childhood, and the match was purely a love affair, but was sad, nevertheless. Some two years after the wedding Mr. Sanborn lost his wife, and the beautiful little baby girl, and the young mother's health began to fail. Then Mr. Sanborn developed tuberculosis, and died after a lingering illness. His young widow was inconsolable, and for several years failed to recover from her double loss. She is the daughter of Mrs. Alexander R. Baldwin, who owns a handsome home at Union and Divisadero streets, and is a sister of Alexander Baldwin Jr., whose wife was Miss Jesse Glascock, an Oakland belle and beauty, and daughter of ex-Mayor Glascock of Oakland. Mr. Horsburgh is one of the most genial and popular railroad men in town. A bachelor with plenty of money and a fine position, he has long been esteemed an eligible. His personality is delightful, and he is a favorite with the hosts of friends who are hastening to congratulate him on his present happiness. Mr. Horsburgh has for many years been identified with the Southern Pacific, and was made general passenger agent upon the retirement of General Goodman six years ago. He has been a friend of his wife's family for a long time, and it is said he was engaged to his wife's sister years ago, but a fatal attack of typhoid fever ended the young lady's life prematurely. This fact adds romantic interest to the eligible bachelor's wedding this week. The happy event was celebrated at Mrs. Alexander R. Baldwin's delightful home at Los Gatos. Mr. and Mrs. Horsburgh departed in a private car for their honeymoon trip, which will include various places of interest in Southern Oregon and California.—The Wasp.

Two Millions From Charles Legay

One of the papers published a cable dispatch from Paris recently, telling of the fortune left by Charles Legay, a commission agent, to Mrs. J. C. Wilkins of California. The fortune consisted of two million dollars and was left by Legay to Mrs. Wilkins because she was his niece and he tenderly loved her although he had never seen her. This story is substantially correct, but would have been much more interesting if the paper had told who Charles Legay and Mrs. Wilkins were. Old-timers will remember Charles Legay, the stock broker who was one of the most distinguished beaux of the early days here. He occupied a position similar to that of Mr. Greenway in the society of today. After making a comfortable fortune here Legay went to Paris, where he lived until his death last year. He had two nieces here, Misses Boyd. Kate Boyd married Henry L. Van Wyck, a stock broker, who amassed a fortune and subsequently took his family to Europe, where Mrs. Van Wyck kept in touch with her wealthy niece. Mrs. Van Wyck returned to this city last year and suddenly died in her rooms at the Granada Hotel. It is said that she was bitterly disappointed when she found that her uncle had left her out of his will. The Van Wyck girls were very pretty and interesting. Edna married Arthur V. Callaghan and now resides in Salt Lake. Gertrude was married very quietly a few weeks after her mother's death to a Mr. Potter of Massachusetts, a wealthy man whom she met in the East. The niece to whom Mr. Legay left his fortune is Mrs. Wilkins of San Rafael, whose husband was an engineer for the Northwestern Pacific. While Mrs. Wilkins was a very pleasing and cultivated young woman, she was not a member of the society set of San Rafael. When the news of her great good fortune came, however, she was given an opportunity to improve her social condition by association with some of the prominent families of San Rafael, but the suddenly conceived friendship of strangers made no impression upon her reserve. No doubt when she returns to California she will be offered another opportunity to enter the social corral. I doubt whether she will accept it.—Town Talk.

Marriage Bells Out of Tune

While the note of propriety seems harshly struck when a bachelor marries or a widow of certain age quietly weds a man of her own advanced years, the romance melody seems out of tune when young people dispense with fuss and feathers in their wedding plans. The bride of sweet 'steen should have orange-blossoms and tulle veil, the string of bridesmaids and the flowers. However, the modern set seems to be getting the bride to marry as quietly as her aged bride to marry. Edna Wallace Hopper's mother married a Dunsmuir, thereby giving her daughter a legacy of litigation which gave the newspapers months of copy. Another of the family, Dunsmuir Dunsmuir, lately married the daughter of Lillian Russell, whom he met last winter in Los Angeles.—The Wasp.

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An Obsolete Californian Lingo

Eleanor Gates, whose marriage name is Tully, is writing Rube stories for a cheap Eastern publication of nation-wide circulation. I am not objecting to Eleanor's method of earning an honest dollar or two; but I do object to her Californian Rube. In her latest story she pictures a gawk named Sheridan Smith making a fool of himself in New York by expressing himself in language that may be accurate in the vernacular of South Dakota or North Oklahoma, although even that is doubtful, but is certainly wholly unlike anything on land or sea in California. It may be argued by this author, that her "Rube," as he calls himself, is an imported Missourian; but she neglects to so identify him in her story. Californians even those who own 1400 acres of fruit land in the San Joaquin valley, "where the sun shines 344 days in the year," do not use such atrocious grammar as Mrs. Tully puts in the mouth of Sheridan Smith, and they would not stand appalled in the presence of the New York police department as she says he did. In another story this lady author libeled Texas in a similar manner by making one of the citizens of that civilized State gape with wonder upon the electric signs of New York, clearly intimating that as the Rube was from Texas he had never seen anything like it in his barbarous native environment. This sort of thing is going altogether too far as far as California is concerned, and I suspect that Texas doesn't like it any better than we do. Bret Harte has much to answer for in the matter of providing a language peculiar to the Californian of early days; but we of a later period had come to believe that the native son of the fourth generation had profited by his public school education and was sufficiently sophisticated to take even provincial New York as a matter of course and not to be wondered at. Mrs. Tully, however, knows how to write for her market, and she may not be blamed too harshly for selling her adulterated wares to consumers who prefer that brand to anything wearing the pure food label. Still, we are pleasantly aware of the vast improvement that her "Juanita of the Ranch" experienced under the editorial revision of Mr. Belasco.—Town Talk.

Justice Brewer's Will

The late Justice David J. Brewer always wore a ring on his little finger that had been given him by his first wife, and in his will he left this ring to his grandson, David Brewer Jettmore. Another grandson, David Brewer Karrick, was given the gold watch presented to the Justice by the lawyers of Leavenworth County. A grand-nephew, David Brewer Hall, received a watch given the Justice by his wife, the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer, received the Washington residence and other property. The summer cottage in Vermont went to the three daughters, with an equal share of the life insurance of \$30,000. A granddaughter received a Bible given by the first Mrs. Brewer to her husband, and the Justice's books and writings went to a daughter, Mrs. Karrick. The reading of the testament is interesting as showing what this famous old Justice prized during his lifetime more than the mere money that most men leave to their heirs nowadays.—The Wasp.

Miss Le Breton In Town

Miss Marguerite Le Breton came so quietly into town that very few of her friends knew that she was here. She came directly over from Paris, and is with her father, Albert J. Le Breton. The late Edward Le Breton left his brother Albert a life interest in half of his three-quarters of a million estate, and when Albert Le Breton dies the half interest will pass to his children, Miss Marguerite and David McDougal Le Breton, who was named after his mother's father, Admiral McDougal. Miss Le Breton is a very charming girl, and her friends adore in society here and in the Eastern and foreign cities she has visited. Her mother prefers to live in Paris and her father in San Francisco, but they are not legally separated. They first went to Paris when the late Major Rathbone represented the United States government there, and Mr. Le Breton was his first aide. That sojourn gave Mrs. Le Breton the Paris fever, and she never recovered from it.—The Wasp.

A Fallen Leaf Led to Wealth

The father of the Hon. James Dunsmuir was a miner on Vancouver Island. One day he was wandering through the woods, when his eye was attracted by a pretty leaf shining in the sunlight. He stooped to pick it up, when his hand uncovered a part of the ground and revealed a seam of coal. Mr. Dunsmuir said nothing, but set to work to obtain capital to buy the land and exploit it. Fortune came to him swiftly, for the ground was a rich mine of coal. He built the only railway on Vancouver Island and died a millionaire. The Dunsmuir family are all very well known in San Francisco. One of the sons married Miss Shoober of Sausalito, but the marriage was unhappy. Edna Wallace Hopper's mother married a Dunsmuir, thereby giving her daughter a legacy of litigation which gave the newspapers months of copy. Another of the family, Dunsmuir Dunsmuir, lately married the daughter of Lillian Russell, whom he met last winter in Los Angeles.—The Wasp.

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Is Jubilant Over It

The premature announcement of Miss Alice Albright's engagement to Frederick Farnum, which leaked out a few days ago, before the winsome young San Francisco girl had an opportunity to do the confiding in the pretty, sociable was she had planned, was, it seems, because of a proud youth's inability to refrain from a word of his conquest. Miss Albright was one of the pretty girl participants in the Oakland Kirtmas, and at that time it was noticed her hand was adorned with a big and brilliant "sparkler" which led to some interested comment but no direct accusations. She kept her secret well for months in which achievement young Farnum was not so successful, it seems, and at a stag party where he dined admitted that he had capitulated to Miss Albright's charms and had won her promise of marriage. Miss Albright is the daughter of Mrs. Robert Bain of Fruitvale, and is very popular with an exclusive set of young folk, many of whom are daughters of families proud of old Southern lineage. Farnum is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Farnum of Vernon Heights. He is associated with a San Francisco business firm, and is deemed a very estimable young fellow. Miss Albright will undoubtedly be the object of tireless attentions from her intimate friends as the wedding day approaches, heaped with those social compliments the engaged girl of popularity encounters.—The Wasp.

Cupid at The Wheel

In a few years the bold Lockman may use an airship when eloping with his fair lady love in a hurry. At present the motor car seems to be highly popular as the transportation medium for eloping couples. Chauffeurs appear almost daily in the roles of Cupid's favorites. Miss Frances Marchand eloped with John Matthias, a chauffeur, the other day, and was united to him in San Jose before the parents of either ever dreamed that an engagement announcement was contemplated. It was done as quick as lightning. The chauffeur proposed by phone, the girl ordered her auto, and a record run was made to San Jose. If the irate parent had boarded an airship and given chase, how much more exciting would have been the episode! Both families are said to have known that a strong statement existed between the chauffeur and the girl, but both would have seriously opposed the marriage. The strong attachment was quite right, but the stronger tie of marriage was all wrong. This should give the logicians something on which to try their thinking powers.—The Wasp.

Bought a House For \$51,000

When "Bibi" Brady was a little newsboy in California he little dreamed that he would one day be buying as a present for his wife a five-story house on Riverside Drive, New York. He bought the house the other day, and paid \$51,000 for it. The place has historic interest as having been the property of the late Richard Mansfield, who spent a great deal of money in fitting it up. The library is a beautiful room, and the reception hall contains many rich cabinets built into the house for the bric-a-brac which the late actor had a fondness for collecting. The house was the scene of many notable entertainments for the artistic set that the famous actor loved to gather around him. It was there that he spent some of the happiest years of his life. Mrs. Brady, the present owner of the Mansfield house, is in public life. Miss Grace George, a popular star.—The Wasp.

Things Not What They Seem

Mrs. Adeline Borrowe, whose divorce from William A. Borrowe, mining engineer, has been granted, is a daughter of Edward Boeuf of San Francisco, a lithographer. It was generally supposed that Mr. and Mrs. Borrowe were ideally happy.—The Wasp.

Daughter Of a Pioneer

Miss Beatie Best of San Leandro, who is to be married to Charles Manning next Tuesday evening, is a daughter of Daniel Best, one of the well-known and pioneer manufacturers of Alameda county. Since the earliest days of the district's history Mr. Best has been identified with the manufacturing concern, which is far the largest in the county, the elaborate wedding ceremony which will make the only daughter of the family a bride will be in the evening at the family home in San Leandro, with a large company of friends as witnesses. The bridegroom will be Miss Leda Elliott of Fremont and Miss McCoy of San Leandro. John Manning will be his brother's best man.—The Wasp.

Ah Fong's Story Told by London

Jack London dashed up the noted Ah Fong family of Honolulu in fictional form in a recent magazine printed for feminine perusal. The story of the Chinese peasant who went to Honolulu and worked in the cane-fields while he acquired a knowledge of how to become a sugar-grower is told in very plain and interesting language. The manner in which Ah Fong's fortune grew, and how he dowered his daughters so that they might marry into the navy, the judiciary and the aristocracy, is related somewhat ironically. The story ends with the return of Ah Fong to China and his renouncing of the civilization that had begun to pill upon him.—The Wasp.

Aileen Doe's Confession Tea

Miss Aileen Doe's confession tea was not hard to swallow, for every one had surmised that the pouring of the Oolong would spill out the expected news of her engagement to Paul Johnson. The wedding plans have not yet matured, though, of course, Miss Laura Doe will have the sisterly pleasure of serving as maid of honor. Miss Marguerite Doe, who made her debut last winter, is a cousin of the bride-elect. Mrs. Allen Green (Alice Doe) is also a cousin.—News Letter.

